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SHERIFF ON LAST TRIP TOOK JAMES PARKS AWAY

Young Man, Frequently in Toils,
Given "Pen" Sentence.

OTHER COURT NEWS

Sheriff Harry Dukeman, making his last trip in his official capacity, went to Pittsburgh on Saturday with James Parks, the latter having been sentenced at a special session of court held by Judge Henry C. Quigley on Friday morning.

Parks was charged with breaking and entering the bungalow of Miss Anna W. Keichline and other girls, of Bellefonte, on or about Dec. 9th; with larceny of household goods and 53 records; and, on another indictment, of larceny from Haghey Turner of wheel barrow valued at \$8.

Miss Helen Beezer, representing the girls, was called to testify and told that the bungalow had been entered on or about Dec. 9 by breaking through the back door. She told of the goods missing and said all that was taken had been recovered.

Sheriff Dukeman was called and stated that he had found some of the articles at the home of Mrs. Parks' parents, with whom he was staying, at Valley View. Some of the goods were also hidden at the Mike Hazel bungalow, along Spring creek.

Parks managed to avoid arrest and spending Christmas in jail by running away the first time the Sheriff went for him, having been previously informed that the Sheriff was coming for him. On his second trip, Sheriff Dukeman went with determination not to be foiled and brought the prisoner back with him. Safely landed in jail, Parks decided to enter a plea of guilty and the special session of court was called.

In his statement, Sheriff Dukeman said that Parks had been in trouble frequently. Only recently he had been arrested by the Sheriff for taking all available extra equipment from a doctor's car at Six Mile Run, Huntingdon County.

Asked about this affair, Parks said, "I have that settled. I didn't take the stuff off the car but had to admit it and settle to get out of it. I was working at Six Mile Run as a coal miner and it took three weeks' pay to get that settled."

Just before that, about two months ago, Parks was put in jail in Bellefonte for several days on a charge of driving his car over a stretch of new concrete road at Montoursville, removing the bars which were placed to forbid use of the highway. Parks denied that he had driven over the road but settled for it.

The young prisoner admitted that he had frequently been in the toils and that he had served six months in the Huntingdon reformatory, where he was sentenced by Judge Quigley several years ago for breaking into bungalows along Spring creek. He told the Judge he was not sure whether he was 20 or 21 years old, that his occupation was butchering and that he worked whenever he could find anything to do but had been out of employment since the stone quarries shut down.

The Judge seemed reluctant to sentence the young man. It appeared he was studying Parks closely as he quizzed him along various lines. "It seems to be a habit with you—this thing of breaking into bungalows and taking things," the Judge said. "You seem to have been a bad egg at Huntingdon, too. Why did they send you to Pittsburgh?"

"Well, I ran away from them and came back here. They got me and then sent me to Pittsburgh, where I served eighteen months. I am not going to do any more of it, though. I'm done."

The Judge replied, "I hope so and that when you get back here again you will do better. On the indictment of breaking and entering, you are sentenced to serve not less than three nor more than six years in the Western penitentiary."

Albert Hicks, operating under the name of T. H. MacVaugh, in jail on a charge of forgery and passing worthless checks, was in court with plans to plead guilty, but through District Attorney James C. Farst, informed the court that he had changed his mind and would have counsel to represent him later in court, Judge Quigley saying, "Well, that is a right he has and may exercise if he chooses." Hicks was caught in Ohio and is alleged to have operated in the Philadelphia section. He was again placed in jail.

Man and Woman in Trouble.
Bertha Graffius, aged 37, and Thomas Smeal, 34, from Philadelphia, were placed in jail in Bellefonte last Thursday on a serious charge.

COUNCIL CONSIDERS OFFER OF POWER PLANT

Report of Fire Marshal Commends
Firemen's Efficiency.

NEW MEMBERS SWORN IN

The new Council was organized on Monday evening and will hold a special meeting tomorrow to consider a proposition made by Ullsh and Bashor, who recently purchased the Gamble mill and water rights in Bellefonte. The offer of Ullsh and Bashor briefly was to sell to Bellefonte borough for approximately \$50,000 the mill property with water rights to be used for operating and generating electric light and power for borough uses.

The new members of Council—John Dunlap, succeeding Darius Walte, of the West Ward; Harry Badger, succeeding A. Fauble, of the South Ward, and Harry Flack, re-elected in the South Ward—were sworn in by Burgess W. Harrison Walker after the regular meeting of Council had been held. Burgess Walker then made a brief address to the Council body, congratulating the members for their progress of the past year and expressing his wish that closer co-operation might be had during the ensuing year.

Mr. Walker then presided and John S. Walker was unanimously re-elected for president. The latter took charge and W. T. Kelly was again re-elected as secretary.

The regular meeting of Council, the first of the new year, began by consideration of written communications. Barrett & Co., of Philadelphia, regarding a claim of some \$800 that had been disputed, asked for a settlement at \$500, which was held over for further consideration. John S. Ginter, of Tyrone, secretary-treasurer of the Council there, sent a letter in which he stated that his bond for the Prater orphanage fund had been increased.

Committee reports were next in order and were mostly routine, with the following special mention:

Street committee: The sum of \$297.70 was collected during 1923.

Water committee: Collected \$786.66 on the 1922 water tax duplicate.

Fire and Police committee: A check from Burgess W. Harrison Walker of \$87.26 for fines and licenses was received. A motion was adopted to pay to the Logan and Ullsh Fire companies, their annual appropriations. Chairman Flack said that within the next week all fire plugs in the borough would be inspected.

Financial committee: The balance in the First National bank on Jan. 1 was \$5,791.31 and in the Bellefonte Trust Co. bank, \$8,348.19. Renewal of notes for \$1,000 and payment of interest on same was granted. On motion by A. Fauble, an order to deposit \$2,000 to the sinking fund was given.

The borough manager, in his report for 1922, stated he had collected for the year, \$4,124.49.

The report of Robert Kline, fire marshal, commended highly both the Logan and Ullsh fire companies.

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BAUM STORE IMPROVED

New Plate Glass Show Cases Put
In and Well Paint.

The Bellefonte store of Slim, The Clothier, on Allegheny street was much improved this week by installing three new plate glass show cases of latest design. Several other interior changes were made in placing of display stands, cases and stocks, making a marked improvement. Mr. Baum is having a few minor alterations made, the work being done by Herbert Miller.

It is planned to have the interior decorated anew and nicely painted in the spring. This will give Mr. Baum one of the finest men's clothing stores in Central Pennsylvania and bespeaks the progressive spirit which has been manifested at all times in his business career.

Capt. W. H. Fry III.

Capt. William H. Fry, our versatile correspondent at Pine Grove Mills who seldom misses a letter and for years has been one of the most dependable of correspondents, is obliged to omit his news this week as he has been very ill. We are glad to note that he was reported yesterday as being much improved. Capt. Fry has been a very active man and is well along in years so that he has become widely known in Centre County and his host of friends hope that he will soon be enjoying his usually good health once again. He is at the farm home of his son, Mack, and wife, where he is assured good care.

"Black and White Revue" Brilliant Success.

Once upon a time Dr. Robert Mills Beach was asked what he thought about a home talent show he had witnessed the night before, and he remarked nonchalantly that it was all right. Pressed for his candid judgment about it, he blurted out:

"Well, if it was noise you wanted, you got it."

Now, the genial educator really didn't mean that the show had been as poor as all that. What he no doubt thought was that it might have been very much better.

Putting on a home-talent show is always a gamble. It may come through in brilliant triumph, and then again, it may not. In both cases, as a rule, the participants work just as hard. The degree of success achieved is largely a matter of viewpoint.

We do not know whether Dr. Beach witnessed the "Black and White Revue" at Garman's Opera House Tuesday and Wednesday nights, but there were hundreds who did, and, judged by applause and individual comment, it was a brilliant success, both from the artistic viewpoint and box office receipts. The latter, by the way, go to a most commendable cause—for the benefit of the Bellefonte Hospital, and toward the payment for a community piano. The net proceeds amounted to about \$900.

Bellefonte has some wonderfully clever, self-sacrificing women who can put over pretty nearly anything they undertake. Among the number are three sisters, and their mother, to whom we extend congratulations and compliments for the splendid triumph of the "Black and White Revue." We refer to Mrs. Russell Blair, Mrs. Robert Walker, Mrs. Louis Schadt and their mother, Mrs. George Bible. Mrs. Blair directed this latest and most successful home-talent production, ably assisted by Mrs. Walker, with Mrs. Schadt's valuable co-operation in the orchestra. Not to be outdone by three daughters, no matter how clever and talented they might be, Mrs. Bible did her bit as a participant on the stage. Prothonotary Roy Wilkinson was a very capable stage manager.

There were appeared of eighty-five in the bevy of feminine beauty which greeted the capacity audience when the curtain was lifted for the initial performance. Down stage were the black-face funny end ladies, soloists and interlocutors, Miss Cecelia Moerschbacher, whose work contributed largely to the success of the entire performance. The funny ends, who at times were really fannier than lots of so-called professionals, turned out to be Mrs. Clarence Williams, Mrs. Frederick Reynolds, Mrs. Gus Heverly and Miss Anna Badger, Anna

Straub and Kathryn Love. Miss Charlotte Walker was an efficient traffic cop. With Miss Moerschbacher guiding the fun-producing jokes, the black face comedians put over joke after joke that kept the house in a roar of laughter. And how they sang and danced! Interspersed were solos ably rendered by Mrs. Bible and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, both of whom were deservedly encored. With the drop of the curtain on Part One, floral tokens of appreciation that were sent over the footlights to various stars seemed to convey the real sentiment of the entire house for the entire cast.

Part Two was replete with striking features. First was "A Bit of Spain," with Mrs. Walker and Misses Mary Katz, Stella Cohen, Elizabeth Hunter and Helen Brown participating effectively. Followed an inspiration from the long-ago, "Virginia Ladies of 1866." Continued in keeping with that period were Mrs. Bible, Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Harry N. Meyer and Mrs. Charles Garbrick, with a group of colored Mamies who looked the part to perfection. The latter were Mrs. Ebon Bower, Miss Helen Schaeffer, Mrs. Charles Beatty and Mrs. Bible.

Nobody in the audience had the faintest idea of the meaning of "Monsieur Zebe," appearing on the program as the next number. Monsieur proved to be Mrs. Earl Hoffer, frock-costed, mustached and goateed. Her take-off on the professional slight-of-hand artist was a scream. "Bambalino," was a very pretty feature by Miss Nina Lamb and Mrs. Williams. "American Sport Girls," was another clever number, with Misses Irene Gross, Madeline Sunday, Rose Carpenter, Margaret Sower, Ida Fisher, and Margaret Mignot.

"The Dance of Long Ago," was a revelation to the young folks who know only the modern steps. Participating were Mrs. Mary Craig, Mrs. Frederick Daggett and Mildred Wagner. There came next a pretty minuet, danced by Mary Louise Walker, Betty Casebeer, Dorothy Rankie, Sarah Bullock, Henrietta Hunter, Louise Meyer, Rebecca Dorworth and Dorothy Wilkinson. Another hit was "My Dutch Lady," with Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Violet Morris, Misses Kathryn Allison, Kathryn Love, Sara Ray and Dorothy Mallory participating. The concluding number was most striking. It was entitled "Bellefonte Girls." Comprising this group were Misses Kathryn Meyer, Betty Zerby, Kathryn Johnson, Betty Mauser, Ruth Miller, Mary Woodring, Martha Johnson, Elizabeth Baney, Kathryn Bullock and Virginia Cruse.

There is some thought of producing "The Black and White Revue" at Rockview, also at State College.

Laird Holmes Candidate For Assembly

John Laird Holmes, of State College, has formally entered the field as a candidate for Republican nomination for Assembly from Centre County, as will be noted by reference to another column of this newspaper. In submitting his candidacy to the Republicans of the county Mr. Holmes asks that they carefully consider his qualifications for the responsible duties of the office, and to vote as they deem best for the good of the county when they go to the primaries on Tuesday, April 22nd.

Mr. Holmes is a veteran in service to

the Republican party. He is regarded, not only at home but elsewhere, as one of the most substantial citizens of Centre County. He has long cherished an ambition to represent Centre County in the Legislature, believing as he does that he will be able to accomplish a number of things that will be directly beneficial to the people of this section.

The primary election will afford Mr. Holmes, and any others who may care to aspire to nomination, an opportunity to have the Republicans of the county express their preference.

Announce as Coolidge Candidates For Delegates

Mrs. Ella Mountz, of Clearfield, and John Donnelly, of McKean County, have formally declared themselves as Republican candidates for national delegates in the congressional district of which Centre County is a part. Both are openly in the field as favoring the nomination of Coolidge for President, and will go to the national convention at Cleveland committed for him.

This newspaper heartily indorses the

stand taken by Mrs. Mountz and Mr. Donnelly, and will actively support them on that basis. They reflect the unimpeachable sentiment of Centre County in committing themselves to the support of President Coolidge.

Friends of Harry Keller, Esq., of Bellefonte, are urging that he become a candidate for alternate delegate. It is to be hoped that he will accept. Mr. Keller is a strong supporter of President Coolidge.

OPTIMISTIC OF 1924

Charles M. McCurdy, Banker,
Makes Interesting Statement.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Bellefonte was held on Tuesday and the directors selected as follows: Chas. M. McCurdy, W. Fred Reynolds, George M. Gamble, C. C. Shuey, Henry S. Linn, David Dale, James C. Farst and Thomas B. Beaver. Officers were re-elected as follows: Chas. M. McCurdy, president; W. Fred Reynolds, vice-president; James K. Barnhart, cashier; C. E. Robb, assistant.

Mr. McCurdy made the following interesting statement:

"The optimistic statement made last year about this time materialized. The bank closed one of the most prosperous

years in its history. I think the outlook even better than a year ago in all departments. The danger of any radical legislation is remote. Secretary Mellon's tax plan, if adopted, will work great benefit to commercial interests of the country as well as to individuals. The outlook for farmers is also more cheerful. Locally, there is little material change. Business has held up well."

Auditors Organize.

The Centre County board of auditors formally organized this week and are now engaged in examining the books of county officers for 1923. Samuel B. Holter was chosen president, and Herbert Stover, secretary. Judge Quigley has appointed Ira G. Barkeet, of Stormtown, as auditor to examine the books of the offices of Prothonotary, Register and Recorder.

JOHN MARKS IN JAIL CHARGED WITH ARSON

State Police Continue Investigation
of Serious Affair.

GATHERING EVIDENCE

John Marks, for many years a resident of upper Bald Eagle valley, was placed in jail on Saturday on a charge of arson. He was taken into custody near Altoona. State police are gathering evidence against Marks as they continue their investigation of another serious affair, according to Justice J. M. Keichline, of Bellefonte, before whom information of the charge of arson was made by the state police.

The arson charge grows out of a fire which recently destroyed buildings on Mr. Marks' property which were simply covered by insurance. A policy of \$2,500 on the property had been taken out at Tyrone, by Mr. Marks, and the insurance committee had the investigation made before considering payment as the explanation of the cause of the fire was not satisfactory.

A policy for \$2,400 to cover the property destroyed had been made to an agency in Bellefonte but the agent here said, "After getting the policy ready, I kept it for a time and had it still in my possession when the fire destroyed his buildings."

OFFICIALS SWORN IN

Simple Ceremony Marks Entrance
of Recently Elected Men.

Centre County's new officials were sworn in at noon on Monday, the ceremonies being brief but impressive. A few members of families and intimate friends of the new officials were present.

Promptly at the noon hour court was formally declared in session for the occasion. Judge Quigley immediately administered the oath of office to Roy Wilkinson, re-elected as Prothonotary. Mr. Wilkinson thereupon swore in each of the other officials elected last November. The three County Commissioners, Messrs. Speerly, Swabb and Austin, also the County Auditors, Messrs. Mauser, Holter and Stover, qualified in groups, but the other officials were sworn in separately. They were Dick Taylor, Sheriff; Harry A. Rossman, Register; Lloyd Stover, Recorder; J. O. Heverly, Treasurer; and Arthur C. Dale, District Attorney.

Judge Quigley extended congratulations and best wishes to all of the officials and assured them of his desire to co-operate with them in every way possible.

"If each and all of you live up to the oath you have just subscribed to," said Judge Quigley, addressing the new officials, "I am confident that the affairs of the county will be ably administered during the coming four years, just as has been the case in the past. I desire to congratulate each and all of you, and to assure you of the desire of the Court to co-operate with you in every way possible."

Firemen's Relief Banquet

The Firemen's Relief Association held their annual banquet in the Logan Fire Company's house on Tuesday evening and, as usual, it was a very enjoyable affair for those present. The room was crowded with the firemen and their guests, the latter including members of the Borough Council, Postmaster J. L. Kinsely, and a number of individuals. Chicken, with many side dishes, well served, furnished a full and appetizing meal. Thomas Morgan, was toast master and responses of classy phase were made by W. Harrison Walker, J. C. Farst, William C. Emerick, John G. Love, H. S. Taylor and George Carpenter. Music by Deltrich's orchestra was highly enjoyed. It was a memorable occasion and all had a jolly good time.

Officers were elected as follows: O. A. Kline, president; B. D. Tate, vice president; Harry J. Jackson, secretary; Joseph Beezer, treasurer.

Accident at Street Corner.

An accident which greatly perturbed one of the drivers, who was in a Chevrolet touring car carrying license number 831-280 and refused to give his name, occurred at the corner of High and Spring streets on Saturday night. Gordon Montgomery, of Bellefonte, was driving east, up High street, in his hand some McFarland sport model auto. The Chevrolet was driven from North Spring street, toward High, and fared the worst. Mr. Montgomery stating that his car was not damaged. The Chevrolet, however, had the body and one fender damaged, when the cars collided.

BOOSTING CONCRETE ROAD IN BALD EAGLE VALLEY

Every Citizen Should Work For
This Needed Improvement.

CIRCULATE PETITIONS

Substantial business men from Port Matilda, Bellefonte, Tyrone, Milesburg, and Altoona and all through upper Bald Eagle valley are making a concentrated and active campaign to put over one of the greatest road improvements ever suggested for Centre County. It is putting a concrete connecting link between Snow Shoe Intersection and Bald Eagle so as to have a continuous concrete highway from Milesburg to Tyrone and toward beyond Altoona. It is a project worthy of co-operation from every progressive citizen in this section.

The third meeting of the initial boosters was held in the I. O. O. F. hall in Port Matilda on Tuesday evening and was largely attended by representative citizens from Port Matilda, Tyrone and the entire section east of Port Matilda. The Chamber of Commerce of Tyrone had a body of 17 members to represent their city. Splendid spirit was manifested.

A delegation of Port Matilda men—H. C. Woodring, W. R. Williams, H. S. Williams, J. Thompson Henry and W. J. Woodring—who attended this meeting and are back of the movement with full interest, in co-operation with others, were in Bellefonte yesterday and called at "The Republican" office, thanking us for the active part taken in helping along the project. The delegation also called on District Engineer N. A. Staples, at the local State Highway Department office, and on Mr. Thomas Beaver, Centre County's representative in the Legislature, who is also much interested in securing this stretch of highway.

Friday evening, Jan. 11, another meeting will be held in the Grange Hall at Unionville at 7:30 making a convenient place for all persons between Port Matilda and Bellefonte to attend. Port Matilda has secured a good representation. Bellefonte, Milesburg, Snow Shoe, Clarence and Unionville should also have many present interested in this ideal project.

Folks from Philadelphia are taking a keen interest in putting this over. Altogether, more interest has already been shown perhaps than in any road project brought up in Centre County. This is as it should be for the Bald Eagle valley is largely used and is an ideal road to take between Bellefonte and Tyrone, traveling either east or west. There are few grades to take, few bad curves and very pretty scenery at any time in the year. The "Bald Eagle Trail" seems assured of success and will likely be accomplished within another year if the citizens of the county served take their proper share of interest and co-operate as they should with the project. Petitions are being widely circulated and endorsed by many persons.

No Applications for Licenses.

Judge Henry C. Quigley will not grant any liquor licenses this month, the first time perhaps that licenses have not been granted to dealers in Centre County. In fact, there are no applicants this year. The Brooks High License law was repealed during the past year. Under the old law it was necessary to advertise by applicants desiring a license. No applications were advertised and so, naturally, Centre County will have no liquor licenses, neither retail nor wholesale, this year.

Mrs. Harry Shively Injured.

Mrs. Harry Shively sustained very painful injuries to her right side and shoulder when she fell on Wednesday evening at the Longwell home on Spring street. Mrs. Shively had stopped with Miss Elizabeth Longwell while on her way to prayer meeting. She was taken to the Bellefonte hospital and an X-ray picture will be taken today to ascertain if any bones were broken.

Moose Favor Purchase.

At the meeting of the local lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, on Wednesday evening, a vote to ascertain the attitude of the members toward closing the option held on the Garman opera house and purchasing the property, received unanimous approval. On Monday a delegation of higher officials in the order will come to Bellefonte and, together with the local men, consider final arrangements.

Purchased Hardware Business.

Gilbert Nolan and Mrs. Grace Kelfer, for years valued employees of the Potter-Hoy hardware firm, this week purchased the Font hardware business in State College and will take possession on Monday.

FOR THE BEST TESTIMONIAL \$25 TOLD IN YOUR OWN WORDS

Open to Everyone

Thousands of people in this state of prizes, the first one being presented here for the month of January. For the best story told in your own way, in not over 250 words, we will present to someone in each state \$25.00 in cash; for the 24 next best stories from each state we will pay \$1.00 in cash for each story. For every story submitted we will send prepaid one box of the famous Hypo-Cod Laxative Tablets. All that you have to do is to tell your story in not over 250 words, using one side of the paper only to write upon. Every story sent in must be accompanied with the coupon torn from the top of a Hypo-Cod carton. Help those who are suffering needlessly by relating your story in your own words of how Hypo-Cod helped you.

IMPORTANT

On the top of every Hypo-Cod carton you will find a coupon imprinted; tear this off and send it in with your story. Write on one side of the paper only. All stories must be mailed by 12 P. M., January 31st, 1934. Mail all stories to the Executive Board, Earle's Chemical Company, Wheeling, W. Va., who will judge the winners and announce them by February 10th, 1934. When a story is submitted, it becomes the property of the Earle Chemical Co., Inc. and may be used by them for publicity purposes unless otherwise specified by the writer. Your write your story in your own words and send it in at an early date.

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In bottles:
50c and \$1.00

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SMITH BROTHERS
S.B. COUGH DROPS MENTHOL
Famous since 1847 (orange colored box)

Made Bald by Collars.

A French hair specialist says that starched collars are the chief cause of men's baldness. Women are not bald at forty as men are because they do not wear tight or stiff collars that press on veins and blood-vessels and thus prevent healthy blood circulation.

WOMEN! DYE FADED THINGS NEW AGAIN

Dye or Tint Any Worn, Shabby Garment or Drapery.

Diamond Dyes

Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded thing new, even if she has never dyed before. Choose any color at drug store. Advertisement.

When Medals Were Unknown.

From the fall of the Roman empire until the beginning of the Fifteenth century medals were almost unknown.

DEMAND "BAYER" ASPIRIN

Aspirin Marked With "Bayer Cross" Has Been Proved Safe by Millions.

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 23 years. Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous. Adv.

It is never too late to learn, unless you think you know it all.

The possession of a child is the biggest investment life offers.

Children Cry for "Castoria"

Especially Prepared for Infants and Children of All Ages

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years as a pleasant, harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups. Contains no narcotics. Proven directions are on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it. The kind you have always bought bears signature of

Wm. D. Fletcher

FARMER WOUNDED IN ROW WITH KIN OVER LOOSE HOG

Georgia Man Shoots Brother-in-Law Following Argument—Victim in Serious Condition.

Jeffersonville, Ga.—Shot in the chest with a shotgun said to have been fired by G. W. Jackson, R. L. Long was rushed to the Macon hospital from here. The shooting took place in the old Richland community, on the Jackson farm, and is said to have been caused by a dispute over a hog. Jackson was arrested and is now in the Twiggs county jail here.

Several score of shots penetrated Long's stomach, breast, arms and head. The two men involved in the shooting are brothers-in-law and live on adjoining farms.

The shooting is said to have been the immediate result of a quarrel over a hog belonging to Long that had escaped from the pen and gone onto Jackson's land.

Long went to the Jackson home, it is reported, and found that Jackson had turned a bulldog loose on his hog. Long claims that the bulldog had torn the hog's head, and that he went to remonstrate with his brother-in-law.

Long and Jackson were standing in the yard of the Jackson home, according to reports, and were disputing about the bulldog's attack upon the hog, when Jackson stepped back into his house and secured a shotgun, firing upon Long through a window as the latter stood in the yard.

The men live about eight miles from Jeffersonville and are well known in this county. They were in town together here recently and friends report that they seemed the best of friends.

Gave Away \$512 in Tips, Now He Wants It Back

Atlantic City.—A betic gathering in a North side saloon, at which \$10 bills were used to light cigarettes and \$20 tips were given to waiters, was narrated in the court of Magistrate Joseph Paxton, where three young women were arraigned on a charge of robbing Alexander Massey, Jr., of Washington of \$512 in the course of the revel. The three women are Katherine Repp, Alice Leonard and Mae Cuddy, all of 1826 Atlantic avenue.

Massey said he met Katherine Repp at the hotel where he was staying, where she was employed as a telephone operator, and they visited some of the North side cafes. Later, the two other women joined the party. According to the testimony Massey lighted cigarettes for the women with \$10 bills, threw a \$100 bill on the floor, and gave waiters \$5 and \$20 tips. The next morning he found his bankroll was missing and he went to police headquarters. The arrest of the young women followed. The police say that \$285 was returned to Massey by one of the women. All three are held in \$500 bail.

Boy "Armed to Teeth"

Taken by Virginia Cops

Washington.—Armed like the famed two-gun bandits, thirteen-year-old Bill Smith of Clarendon, Va., was arrested by Arlington county police authorities while sitting on a roadside calmly munching cakes and drinking milk, alleged to have been stolen from a Park lane grocery. With the Virginia youth was a Washington boy, who fled when the officers appeared.

At the Clarendon Jail Deputy Sheriff Kines emptied the pockets of Bill's clothes and found two revolvers, a hunting knife, four penknives and a box of cartridges, all of which are said to have been taken from a store at 3271 M street, Northwest. Smith said he had obtained the loot from his Washington companion, whom the police have not been able to locate.

Rabbit Gets "Go" Signal at City's Busiest Corner

Columbus, O.—Traffic—automobile, street car and pedestrian—was stopped for about 30 seconds at Columbus' busiest corner, Broad and High streets, shortly before noon to let a wild rabbit do a marathon down the center of High street.

The traffic cop on duty, seeing bunny's speed and realizing that a traffic jam would result unless he had a clear track, set the block against all Broad street traffic and himself stepped aside to let the rabbit pass.

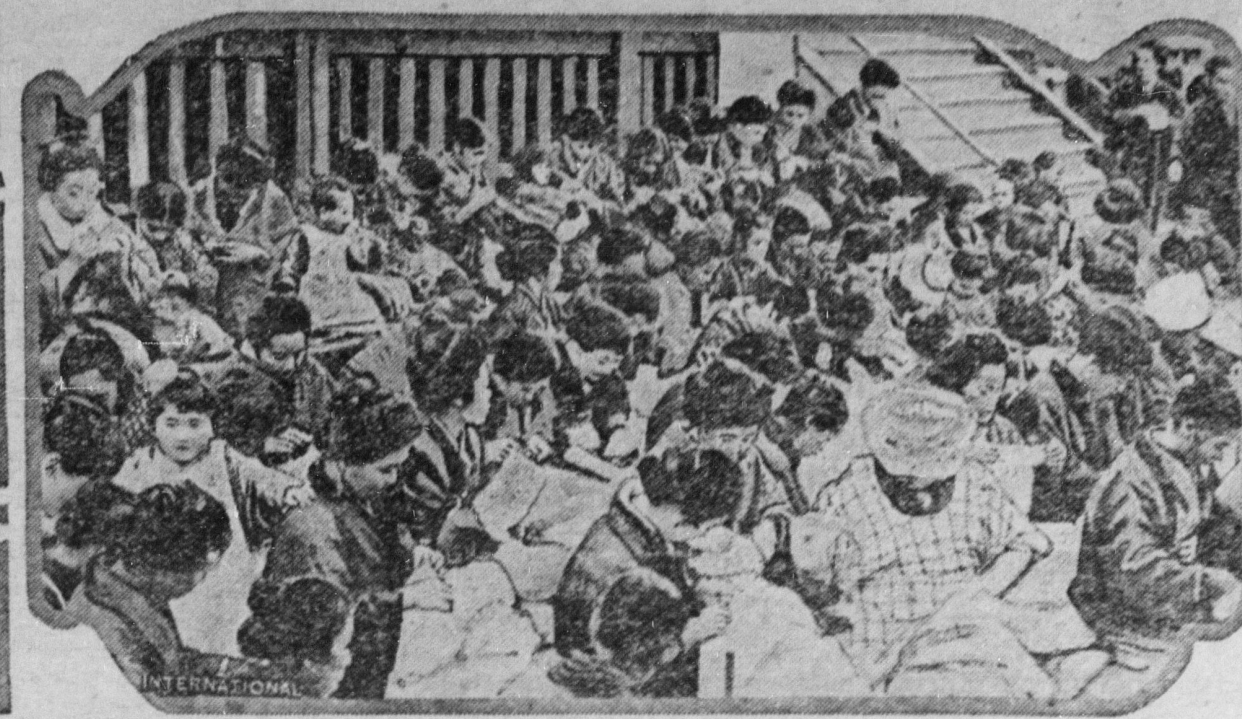
Engineer Runs Burning Train Into Station

Bridgeport, Conn.—With the wood-work of the engine cab of a train from Springfield for New York in flames, Engineer Mooney of Springfield, Mass., stuck to his throttle and brought the train into the station. The engine was uncoupled and live steam was used to put out the flames.

Cranks Auto in Gear; Man Crushed to Death

Baltimore, Md.—William C. Kreuzer, twenty-nine, son of a prominent Syracuse manufacturer, and once a candidate for the lieutenant governorship of New York, was fatally injured here when he was crushed between his own automobile and the tail gate of a delivery wagon as he attempted to crank the machine while in gear.

Women of Tokyo Sew for Quake Refugees



Above is pictured a group of Japanese women who are giving their spare time to sewing articles of clothing for their refugee friends. The women gather in the great park of the Asakusa Kwannon temple, Tokyo. The temple is sacred to the goddess of mercy.

QUEEN OF MIAMI FETE



Miss Olga Enamorado, daughter of General M. Enamorado, consul general for Cuba to the United States, was chosen "Queen of Beauty" for the New Year's Fruit and Flower festival at Miami, Fla. Miss Enamorado is here shown gathering some of the fruit for the festival.

CLAIMS HUGE ESTATE



Gregorio Carmichael, a Filipino boy who has just arrived in the United States, comes to claim an estate of \$90,000,000 left at the death of his father, an American soldier, in Oklahoma. Oil was found on the land and money is now pouring in. It is likely that a court struggle is pending to settle the lad's identity.

NEW HELMET FOR FOCH



This helmet, made by hand of copper and silver and surmounted by the Gallic cock, has been presented to Marshal Foch of France. It is the work of France's most noted metal artist.

Had 2,500 Offers; Picked This One



Archibald Turner of Bourne, England, asked a newspaper to find him a wife, and received 2,500 offers. He selected Miss Lillian Snape to be his bride, and here they are.

Perfects Everlasting Enamel



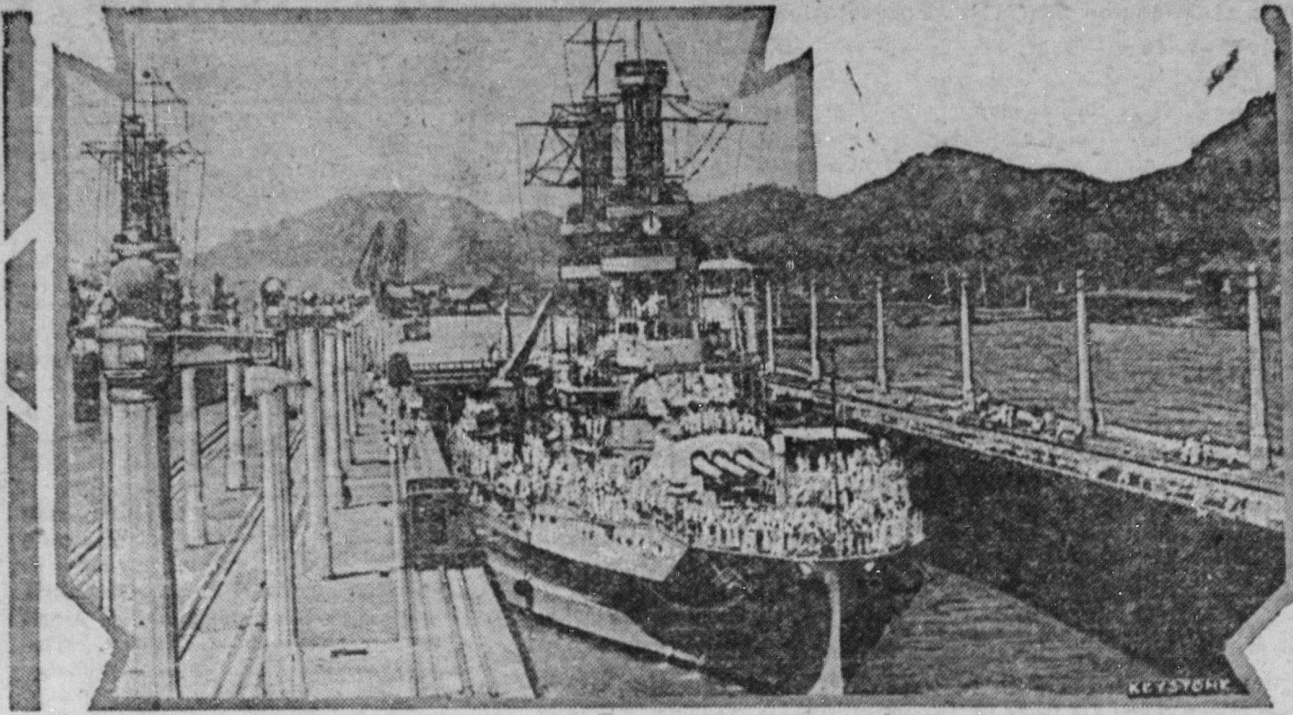
Jean Dinant of Paris, the world's foremost artist on hammered metal, has perfected a form of enamel which is said to be everlasting. His method is said to be that of ancient Egypt. In the above picture he is seen at work at his forge.

France Honors Three Clowns



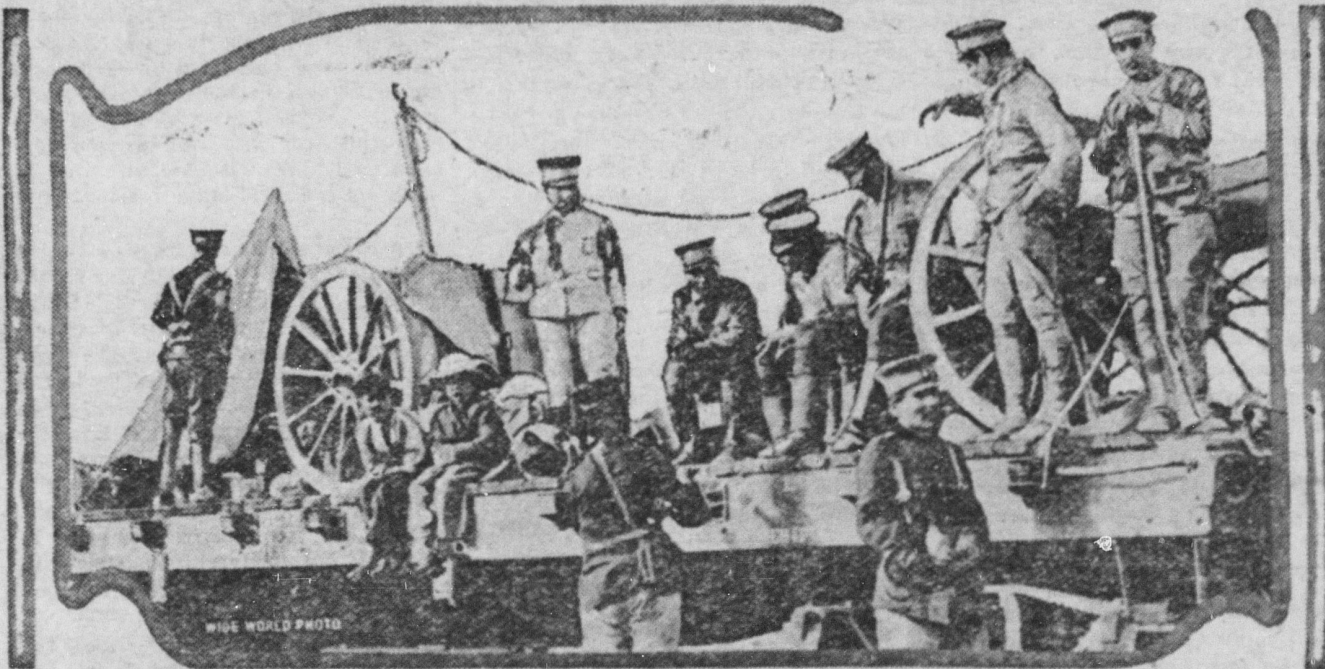
Three noted clowns, the Fratellini brothers, have just been decorated by the French government, receiving the "Palme Academique" from the minister of public instruction. They are here seen being interviewed by a Paris newspaper man.

Battleship Arizona Going Through the Canal



Here is the U. S. S. Arizona, one of Uncle Sam's mighty fighting ships, in the Pedro Miguel locks, Panama canal, en route to the war games held off Panama by combined ships of Pacific and Atlantic fleets.

President Obregon's Artillery Going to Battle



Artillery of the federal Mexican army entraining for the successful attack on the revolutionists at Puebla.

"Recognized" as Czar of Russia



At a family council of the surviving Romanoffs, held in Paris, it was agreed that the Grand Duke Cyril should be recognized as the legitimate claimant to the Russian throne. The photograph shows him with the grand duchess, who is a daughter of the late duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha.

Can't Tell Martha From Clarice



Here are Martha and Clarice Sorgenfrei, nineteen-year-old twins, who are employed in the freight office of the Rock Island railroad at Blue Island, Ill. Clarice is a telephone operator and Martha is a timekeeper. There are about 85 people in the office where they have been working for some years, yet not one of them can tell which is which when away from their desks.

MISS CUPID OF KANSAS



Miss Margaret Markley of Emporia college, in Kansas, has started a date bureau that already does a thriving business. Miss Markley advertises herself as "Miss Cupid" and by means of her bureau she brings timid coeds and bashful suitors together. A nominal charge of 25 cents is made for male students, while the girls are charged 50 cents. Miss Markley says she charges the girls more because the investment is a good one with them. Any fellow who will pay a quarter to make a date, will spend at least two dollars to make it a good one.

WOMAN IS A GENERAL



Here is the Chinese woman commander, General Wong, who commands a detachment of Honan soldiers. These troops are supporters of Dr. Sun Yat Sen.

SHOOTS REVOLVER FROM Foe's HAND

Wyoming Duelist Wounds Rival in Thumb and Then Repents.

FEUD OVER HORSE ENDS

Colony, Wyo.—Dueling has come to Wyoming; or, perhaps stating it more properly, it has come back to Wyoming. And it has been accompanied by something akin to the old feudal spirit of the mountaineers further east. So far there have been no fatalities, but one man has been seriously wounded. These are the facts of the case:

In a gun duel near this place, in northeastern Wyoming, Sylvester McConaughy suffered the loss of the thumb of his right hand, which was shot off; the fleshy part of his left hand was torn, and wounds inflicted in his face. Fred Hickey, the other party to the affair, escaped nearly unscathed.

Shoots Gun From Foe's Hand.
The two had been having trouble for several years over their ranges. The climax came when McConaughy and Lyndon Painter reached a gate near Hickey's place and were met by



Shot His Rival's Gun From His Hands.
the owner and his son Raymond, both of whom were mounted on one horse and carrying rifles. Suspecting trouble, McConaughy, it is said, opened fire on the elder Hickey with an automatic, the bullet grazing the victim's neck. Hickey, firing almost simultaneously, shot his rival's gun from his hands as the latter was trying to pull the trigger again. The bullet tore the man's thumb away and glanced from the stock to his other hand. Fragments of it also penetrated his face in several places near the mouth. Meanwhile Painter rushed to another rancher's house for help.

Takes Wounded Man Home.
Following the shooting, Raymond Hickey, twenty-one, shot and killed McConaughy's horse for revenge. But the feud was carried no further. Suddenly repentant, the elder Hickey played the part of the Good Samaritan by helping his enemy to the Hickey home, where his wounds were bandaged.

A doctor from Bulett and Deputy Sheriff J. C. Hurtt were called shortly afterward. No arrests have been made. McConaughy will recover.

Court's Decision Leaves Man With an Extra Wife

Columbus, O.—Fred G. Cox, Cincinnati, has two wives as a result of the State Supreme Court refusing to interfere with the action of the Hamilton county lower courts.

The Common Pleas court had announced that it granted Cox a divorce from Murtice Cox Nov. 6, 1919, but no entry was made at the time. In June, 1920, the court put on an entry denying Cox a divorce. He in the meantime had remarried. He tried to have the last action of the court set aside, but his efforts have failed, and now he has two legal wives.

He married his second wife, Miss Nannie Gill, at Maysville, Ky.

Discovers Three-Inch Shell Caused Leak in Roof

New York.—How did a three-inch shell become imbedded in the roof of Thomas H. Elliott's home, at 656 Second avenue, Astoria?

Mr. Elliott wants to know, partly because he would like to collect damages from the artilleryman and partly because he wants him safely locked up before he can plant another among the shingles. The police want to know because it sounds suspicious.

Why the shell did not explode is as much a mystery as its origin. The projectile was discovered when Mr. Elliott went up to see why the roof, still less than a month old, did not keep out the rain.

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Electric Chair First Used in 1890.
The electric chair was not, strictly speaking, invented. It was known that electric current would kill, and experiments in killing animals by this means had been made. A New York commission was appointed to investigate humane ways of inflicting the death penalty. The commission reported in 1888, and in that report suggested the construction of a chair in which the criminal could be placed for electrocution. Such a chair was devised by the state electrician of New York, E. F. Davis, and appears to have been first used in 1890.

The Omnipresent.
"The late Bishop Tuttle," said a St. Louis man, "liked to drive home his statements with an anecdote."

"He told me once about a five-year-old boy prodigy who was questioned by a cardinal."

"My boy," the cardinal said, "tell me where God is and I'll give you an apple."

"I will give your eminence a barrel of apples," said the boy, "if you'll tell me where he is not."

Man Ever in Need of Aid.
No degree of knowledge attainable by man is able to set him above the wants of hourly assistance.—Johnson.

* the age of sixteen a girl stops crying and begins to weep.

Silence in a crisis is best unless one has to answer a question.

Dr. Perry's "Dead Shot" is powerful, but safe. One dose will expel Worms or Tapeworm; no castor oil needed. Adv.

Rosicrucians Secret Order of 14th Century

The Rosicrucians were a secret fraternity alleged to have been founded during the latter part of the Fourteenth century by Christian Rosenkreuz, German mystic, who dwelt for a time in India and Egypt, where he acquired a profound knowledge of the occult arts.

The Rosicrucians, like the alchemists, pretended to transmute metals, to prolong life and to possess knowledge of what was occurring in distant places. They first became known to the world early in the Seventeenth century, through the publication of certain documents said to have been issued by them; but according to many authorities, their existence was extremely doubtful.

The Rosicrucians were also called the Brothers of the Holy Cross, from the notion that the name is derived from "crux" (cross), and "rosa" (rose). Brewer, however, says that the word Rosicrucian comes from "ros" (dew) and "rosa" (rose). "Dew was considered by the ancient chemists as the most powerful solvent of gold, and cross in alchemy is the synonym of light, because any figure of the cross contains the letters L X V ('light')."—Detroit News.

First Zinc Made in 1838.
The first zinc made in the United States was from the red oxide of New Jersey at the arsenal in Washington, D. C., in 1838.

Are we unveiling any statues to men who have been apostles of peace?

No one wants children to tell anything but the truth, but discretion is harder to teach them.

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Announcement FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce the name of William L. Swopes, of Clearfield, Pa., as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the 23rd District, composed of the Counties of Centre, Clearfield, Cameron and McKean, at the Spring Primary on April 22nd, 1924.

FOR ASSEMBLY

THE REPUBLICAN is authorized to announce the candidacy of John L. Holmes, of State College, for the Republican nomination for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election to be held on Tuesday, April 22nd, 1924. Mr. Holmes respectfully asks the support of all Republicans, assuring them that it will be duly appreciated.

WILSON TO WEST POINT

Penn State's Great Football Star in Army Team.

Harry Wilson, marvelous product of Hugo Bezdek and Penn State, according to a despatch from his home town—Sharon—will go to West Point and play in the Army football team next season.

Wilson starred for the past three years at Penn State. His long runs in the games with the Navy, West Virginia and Georgia Tech, were the outstanding features of his playing this year. He seemed the most formidable single player on the Penn State team and was nervously watched by several opposing players in every game of the season in 1923 after he had made the remarkable gains in the Penn State-Navy game early in the fall.

Real Estate Transfers.

Recorder William H. Brown has recorded the following real estate transfers.

Miles Baughman, et ux, to Myrtle Shinafelt, tract in Rosh Twp; \$1.

Clarence E. Blazer, et ux, to S. E. Sharer, tract in Harris Twp; \$600.

Agnes Baird to Scott Tate, tract in Spring Twp; \$200.

Philip Beezer, et ux, to Dorothy Martin, tract in Spring Twp; \$350.

Poor District of Penn Twp., to Greenbrier Hunting Club, tract in Penn Twp; \$185.

C. M. Parrish, guardian et al, to William P. Seig, tract in Bellefonte; \$11,900.

Mary I. C. MacMillan, et bar, to Charles C. Fogleman, tract in State College; \$270.

P. T. Musser, assignee, to Jasper W. Stover, tract in Millheim; \$76.

Mabel Grazer Valens, et bar, to Mary Brown Munroe, et bar, tract in State College; \$850.

Edward M. Gehret, et ux, to Walter Cohen, et al, tract in Bellefonte; \$8,500.

J. F. Lohr to Ralph A. Smith, tract in Patton Twp; \$1,500.

H. Laird Curtin, et ux, to Theodore Davis Bost, tract in Patton Twp; \$2,500.

William C. Phillips, et al, to Samuel Klinefelter, tract in Potter Twp; \$485.

D. L. Markle, et ux, to Hugo Bezdek, tract in State College; \$25.

G. M. Foulkrod, et ux, to Hugo Bezdek, tract in State College; \$1,500.

Jacob S. Williams, et al, trustees, to Jacob S. Williams, et al, trustees, tract in Port Matilda; \$1.

Harry Dukeman, sheriff, to Jane Harris, tract in Phillipsburg; \$9,000.

Harry Dukeman, sheriff, to Jane Harris, tract in Phillipsburg; \$7,800.

David C. Hall's executor, to Anna L. Hall, tract in Unionville; \$30.

J. D. Keller, et ux, to John W. Dale, tract in State College; \$350.

Miriam L. Dreese to William T. Harrison, tract in State College; \$61,500.

R. W. Mauck, executor, to Kate E. Musser, tract in Millheim; \$1,510.

Minnie C. Schenck to Alta Kline, tract in Howard; \$1,600.

State College Radio Program.

The radio station at the Pennsylvania State College started the broadcasting of regular tri-weekly programs on Monday night of last week. It is planned to put programs on the air at 8 o'clock each Monday, Wednesday and Friday night. Programs for this week from WPAB follow:

Friday, Jan. 11—Music by student artists. "Going to College," talk by W. S. Hoffman, registrar of the college. News items of general interest.

Monday, Jan. 14—"Farm and Garden" program: "Some Accomplishments in Agriculture in 1923" by M. S. McDowell, director of agricultural extension; "Legumes—The Soil Builders" by Professor F. D. Gardner, head of the agronomy department. Agricultural news items. Music by student artists.

NEW COAL MINES

Three Coal Mining Operations Started in Centre County.

In 1923, three new coal mining operations were started in Centre County, according to the report of James D. Sisler, associate state geologist. In making his report, Mr. Sisler noted as follows:

Pennsylvania's future bituminous coal supply will not come from the thick coal beds of good quality but from thin beds of medium or poor quality, which will entail a gradual increase in the use of machinery for preparing the coal for market purposes. Approximately 200 new operations were begun in the state during 1923.

A number of mines that had not been in operation for a half century or longer, were re opened and pumped out, so that coal left in them because the selling price was too low to handle it may now be utilized, the present selling prices making it profitable to mine.

The Pittsburgh coking coal, the production of which is largely in Fayette and Westmoreland counties, is becoming exhausted and in a few years will be done, leaving only the large area in Green County. The survey also disclosed that the supply of Pittsburgh steam coal from Allegheny County is about exhausted. The Moshannon bed in Clearfield County, for years a highly valued field, is about done. The Brookville and Kittanning beds, which lie below it, are gaining in importance in this district.

In Somerset County the coal beds are practically untouched in many areas and produce an excellent grade of low volatile, smokeless coal. This grade is much in demand for domestic and railroad fuel and for foundry and smithing purposes. It does not coke when used in furnaces, is free burning and does not clinker. There were 12 new operations in Somerset County. Clinton County had the same as Centre, 3; while Clearfield had 26 and Huntingdon, 2 new mines.

Too Much Confidence.

Many folks have too much confidence for their best welfare and this is frequently proven in everyday life. The recent announcement that 190 persons were killed and 595 injured in 1,042 grade crossing accidents in Pennsylvania in 1923 just now emphasizes this fact. The motorists were not hurt or killed because they wanted to be. The driver, with too much confidence in his ability to beat the train, stepped on the gas and got in the path of death. The report indicates the truth in the statement that many of the accidents occurred when motorists attempted to drive through gates that crossing watchmen were in the act of closing. Confidence is one of the best assets any person can have but, like all good things, it should not be abused.

Defeated at Phillipsburg.

The Bellefonte High School basketball team was defeated by the Phillipsburg High School quintet on Friday evening at Phillipsburg, the final score being 26-25. It was a splendid game of team work with Capt. Herman, of Bellefonte, and Capt. Jones, of Phillipsburg, leading their respective teams. At the end of the first half, Phillipsburg was leading the score by 12-6. With the game within three minutes of the finish, the score had been reversed, Bellefonte leading 25-19. Then a streak of luck was with the Phillipsburg five and they did the seemingly impossible by scoring 7 more points and winning.

Installed New Press.

The Nittany Printing and Publishing Company, live representative of the trade in State College, just recently went into a new and commodious home in the heart of the business section in the college town. Last week "The Times," newspaper printed by the firm, was run for the first time on a big new press—a model A Duplex, last word in printing press equipment for a paper plant in towns and small cities. It indicates progress and faith in State College such as the company and its employees have shown right along. It puts their plant on a footing equal to that of any in a town of similar size.

Read "THE REPUBLICAN".

PROFITABLE CROPS

Farmers Know What Pays by Records Kept.

What crop grown by Centre County farmers brings the greatest money return per hour for labor? Accurate records are the one means of finding this out.

Eighty-two farmers in Lancaster County kept books in 1922 and the results are summarized by the extension farm management of State College. Wheat returned the smallest income per hour of labor of the six principal crops. It yielded one and three-tenths cents an hour for the average of the 82 farms. Tobacco gave the greatest return, paying out 64 cents an hour on the labor. Alfalfa ranked second with 39.1 cents an hour, followed by corn with 36.4 cents, potatoes with 36.2 cents and hay with 36.3 cents.

Tobacco consumed the greatest time per acre taking an average of 242 hours of the farmer's time. The least time was spent on the hay crop with an average of 12.2 hours per acre. The average wages per hour for the six crops was 35.2 cents.

"Happiness" Coming.

Lovers of clean uplifting plays will be given a rare opportunity to see the Elias Day Players in "Happiness," written by Hartley Munners, author of "Peg O' My Heart." It is a play of the same order and carries with it a fine lesson. Jennie, the little shop girl, is one of the best characters seen in any play in the last twenty years and the story is interwoven around the lives of "just human beings." Happiness abounds with laughter, with here and there a tragic touch so that it is closer to the old saying "you laugh one minute and weep the next" than any other play in recent years. Mr. Day has produced it with the same attention to detail as was displayed in the original production. There are three acts and an epilogue and in the epilogue much cause for rejoicing with little Jennie in the fulfillment of her ambitions. It has a universal appeal to people in every walk of life. The play will be rendered Tuesday evening, January 15th, at 8:15. This is the fourth number in the Lyceum course. Special stage arrangements will be provided in the Court House to enable the audience to view the professional actors to the best advantage. Admission 75c. No reserved seats.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The H-Y Club has been reorganized, with fourteen charter members. It met on Sunday afternoon and, after a discussion on "Democracy in the High School," enjoyed two splendid talks from Hap Frank and Johnston, of the Penn State foot ball team. After the addresses a light supper was partaken of, at which the visitors were guests.

Bowling—Chairman Keichline is taking the Y representative team to Renovo this afternoon to play the return match this evening. The team, composed of Keichline, Davis, Craig, McClure and Jones, will be handicapped with the regulation alleys, but will arrive in time to get a work-out in the afternoon to get their distances.

Sentenced Doliings Official.

Dwight Harrison, vice president of the defunct R. L. Doliings Company, who had stockholders in this vicinity, was sentenced in common pleas court in Columbus, Ohio, on Saturday to serve not less than 3 years in the penitentiary and pay a fine of \$5,000. An appeal for a new trial was made immediately.

Attended Church Institute.

Rev. T. C. Horn, pastor of the Church of Christ at Blanchard, last week was in Washington, D. C., where he attended the Regional Evangelistic Institute of that denomination for the district including eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, the District of Columbia, Virginia and West Virginia.

Sold Timberland.

Charles M. Mapes has sold the tract of timberland on his farm in Beech Creek township, the purchaser being Solomon Seigel, of Jersey Shore. It is understood that a saw mill will be erected, the timber manufactured into lumber and marketed.

FARM WORKERS GATHER

Members of Extension Staff Have Booked Busy Week.

County Farm Agent J. N. Robinson went to State College this morning to attend the annual agricultural extension conference which opens tomorrow and continues one week, Jan. 11-18. Each year the entire extension staff, composed of specialists and county agents, get together for a week to discuss and plan a constructive agricultural program for the year.

Economical production and marketing will be given major consideration this year and several authorities on these subjects will make addresses. Theodore Macklin, marketing expert from the University of Wisconsin, will be on hand for the opening day to present his views on the basic facts that underlie the successful marketing of farm products. Acklin has made a study of marketing organizations in all parts of the United States, has written a book on the marketing of farm products and has acted in an advisory capacity for many successful marketing projects in the middle west.

Different phases of the farmer's economic and marketing problems will be taken up by several of the extension specialists. D. P. Weaver, assistant director of agricultural extension, will discuss the farm price situation, on which he has spent a year of detailed investigation. "Fifty Years of Farmer's Organizations" will be discussed by H. G. Nisseley, specialist in rural economics. W. B. Connell, E. L. Moffitt, G. G. Weber, L. R. Pheasant and H. N. Reist, all of whom have spent a year of study on the economic phases of their special lines, will present up-to-the-minute faces to those in attendance.

Following the conference, the county agents and specialists will journey to the Farm Products Show at Harrisburg where they will take charge of the county exhibits and the educational display of the Penna. State College.

A Shave in 78 Seconds.

Time was when shaving meant anywhere from fifteen to twenty minutes. And if the old "hook" happened to have an off day, five minutes, perhaps, longer, had to be wasted stopping to make the edge cut satisfactorily. The thought of the wearisome getting ready—having the razor just right, lathering the beard, finding hot water, and all that sort of thing—meaning valuable time wasted that could be used in other and more important ways, formerly kept many men from acquiring the habit of shaving themselves. But all that has changed. Now a clean shave every morning in just seventy-eight seconds is possible for every man who uses an Auto-Strop safety razor. It strops itself in a second or two. A "barber's edge" is always ready. Instead of being a burden, shaving is now a pleasure. The stiffest beard yields instantly to the velvet touch of the Auto-Strop, leaving the skin smooth, clean and comfortable. Many thousands of men have proved this to their entire satisfaction. They shave every morning in less time than it takes to walk to the nearest barber shop.—Adv.

Marriage Licenses.

Register Harry J. Rosman has issued the following marriage licenses: Theodore G. Williams, Lemont; Elizabeth P. Hite, Unionville; Clyde V. Rogers, Unionville; Marie V. Alexander, Unionville.

FRANKLIN'S BIRTHDAY

Resolutions Adopted by National D. A. R. Society.

The National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution adopted the following resolutions at its last Congress: "WHEREAS, this nation should pay more grateful tribute to the memory of Benjamin Franklin, one of its Founders; RESOLVED: by the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, in annual Congress assembled; this organization urges the United States government, state, cities, patriotic and similar societies, and especially schools, annually to celebrate Franklin's birthday, January 17, though no public holiday is desirable. All Chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution are requested to participate in this laudable movement, with one meeting a year to be devoted to the study of Franklin. Special attention should likewise be paid this coming fall to the 200th anniversary month of Franklin's arrival from Boston, 'on a Sunday October morning,' in Philadelphia."

The president general of the organization calls attention to George Washington's prayer for his country: "Almighty God; We make our earliest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection, that Thou wilt incline the hearts of the citizens to cultivate a spirit of subordination and obedience to government; and to entertain a brotherly love for one another and for their fellow citizens of the United States at large. And finally that Thou wilt most graciously be pleased to dispose us all to do justice, to love mercy, and to demean ourselves with that charity, humility and pacific temper of mind which were the characteristics of the Divine Author of our blessed religion and without a humble imitation of whose example in these things we can never hope to be a happy nation. Grant our supplication, we beseech Thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Only Half the Pain.

Seven-year-old Johnnie was afflicted with earache, and screamed frantically with the pain. "Hush, Johnnie, dear," said nurse soothingly. "Don't cry so; it only makes it worse. Remember how bravely baby Willie behaved when he had earache. He never cried like this." "Him!" said Johnnie indignantly; "what does that baby know about earache? His ears aren't more than half as big as mine!"

Acute.

Two students on a train were telling about their ability to see and hear. The one says: "Do you see that barn over there on the horizon?" "Yes." "Can you see that fly walking around on the roof of that barn?" "No, but I can hear the shingles crack when he steps on them."

Why We Frown.

Why do we frown? We are really trying to focus our eyes on something which we can't see properly. For instance, when we are thinking hard and come to a difficulty, we unconsciously try to visualize the stumbling block. In the effort to concentrate, some people will put a hand over their eyes, so that their "mind's eye" shall not be distracted by anything their physical eyes may pick up.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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There are two people I must please, God and myself. I must live with myself here and with God hereafter.—Garfield.

SEASONABLE IDEAS

While fresh rhubarb is abundant let us put up some preserves with rhubarb as a filler with strawberries, pineapple or raspberries; in fact any desired fruit may be used. One part fresh fruit and two parts of rhubarb cooked together and canned with sugar makes a most delightful preserve and one very reasonable in cost. The flavor of the fruit so predominates that the presence of the rhubarb is hard to detect.

Gem Cakes.—Beat two eggs, separating the whites and yolks; to the yolks add one cupful of sugar; when dissolved add one cupful of rich sour cream, to which has been added one-half teaspoonful of soda. Stir in two and one-half cupfuls of pastry flour, or if ordinary flour is used, two cupfuls, lacking one even tablespoonful and adding one tablespoonful of cornstarch. Fold in the whites of the eggs and drop into well-greased gem pans, sprinkle with sugar, drop a raisin on each and bake in a moderate oven.

Marshmallow Chocolate.—Dissolve one-half cupful of sugar in one-fourth of a cupful of water and let it boil five minutes; melt four squares of chocolate over hot water and pour the sirup into it, stirring all the time. Scald the milk, combine the two mixtures, place in a double boiler and stir, boiling several minutes. Cut marshmallows (one dozen) in small dice and drop into the chocolate while hot. Set aside until cool, then beat briskly and pack in ice until thoroughly chilled. Serve in glasses with a spoonful of whipped cream on top of each.

Spaghetti Dinner Dish.—Take 1½ cupfuls of spaghetti, break it in inch pieces, before measuring, then cook in two quarts of boiling water well salted, until tender, drain and rinse in cold water.

Maryland Griddle Cakes.—Take three cupfuls of flour, three cupfuls of milk, one teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and three eggs. Beat the eggs well, stir into the milk, sift the dry ingredients, beat hard and fry at once on a hot griddle.

Nellie Maxwell

Gleaning Bell.

In some of the Lincolnshire (England) villages the "Gleaning bell" is still rung at sunset every day during the harvest operations, as a signal that the gleaners can begin their ancient occupation. The ringer is entitled to levy toll of one penny per gleaner for his services, or sometimes the payment is made in kind. The custom of supplying plenty of food and ale to harvesters is also a survival of the olden days when the "Victual rules" provided that every reaper was entitled to claim from his employer a drinking and bread and cheese in the morning, a dinner of roast meat and other good victuals, two drinkings in the afternoon, and drink always during the work, as their needs required.

Taking America Off Its Feet!

Overland Success is the Talk of the Country

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OVER THE COUNTY

Mrs. Frank D. Lee, of Centre Hall, is recovering from a stroke and has been in charge of Miss Derner, a trained nurse of State College.

Several days after the hunting season had closed Earl Motz, of Woodward, noticed the half-eaten carcass of a deer near Harry John's park in the Woodward Narrows. He placed traps about the carcass and caught a big wildcat.

Mrs. D. J. Meyer, of Centre Hall, mother of John D. Meyer, a former principal of the Bellefonte schools, with whom she had been spending the winter at his apartments in Tyrone, has gone to Columbia, S. C., where she is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. J. McCormick. Mrs. Meyer is well along in years and had not been feeling well during the early part of winter, but has recuperated and is now enjoying life once more.

Robert I. Smith, one of the Penna. section hands at Centre Hall, was obliged to be off duty for a few days last week on account of getting something in one of his eyes.

J. Elmer Royer purchased from John D. Moore the building lot in Centre Hall, next to the Reformed parsonage property, for \$500. He will erect a modern dwelling on the lot to move into when he leaves the farm, near Old Port, which he has occupied for years.

L. Calvin Runkle, wife and two children, of Shamokin, met with misfortune the other day when their Buick car was damaged slightly after skidding on the icy road in the Woodward Narrows and upsetting. None of the party was injured, but Mr. Runkle fell, after getting out of the car, broke his glasses and cut deep gash in his head.

Correspondence

Snap Shots from Snow Shoe — and — Krumbs from Klarence.

Those who were fortunate enough to be included in the congregation at the Presbyterian church on last Sabbath morning, greatly enjoyed the sermon, which was delivered by a professor of mathematics from State College. The speaker, who was formerly a minister, is eloquent and forceful in his delivery, as well as being a widely travelled man. The description of his trip through the Holy Land, which he used in conjunction with his talk and to illustrate the various points of his discourse, was of more than ordinary interest. It is to be regretted that, owing to the extreme cold weather, so few of our people were present.

Little Eva Swartz is ill at her home with tonsillitis and her host of friends trust she will soon be well again.

Samuel Butler is one of the victims of grippe, now making many of our residents blue, and is obliged to remain at home.

Miss Marion Harm, who spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Harm, left for Hollidaysburg on Tuesday, where she is attending the Highland Hall School.

Miss Bertha Shank, a student home for the holidays, is so seriously ill as to be unable to return to her school duties in Ebensburg.

James Uzzle, Jr., and Howard Chambers returned to Lancaster on Tuesday where they are students at Franklin and Marshall College.

The thermometer registered 10 degrees below zero in Snow Shoe on Sunday morning, with a drop of 4 degrees in Clarence.

Mrs. H. J. O'Brien will entertain the ladies auxiliary of the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening, Jan. 17. As this is to be a social affair, each member is requested to invite a friend or two. "The more the merrier." A silver offering will be taken.

Mr. Merriman, conductor on freight, suffered quite a serious mishap on Tuesday. When stepping off the engine, his foot slipped on some ice and he fell, breaking his ankle. His suffering was acute and he was at once removed to the Bellefonte hospital.

We are sorry to note that Mrs. Annie Cole, who is dangerously ill with pneumonia, is reported no better.

Mrs. Neruda Swartz, who has been suffering from a severe attack of grippe, is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Robinson spent a few days in Harrisburg last week.

Milesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shope, of Lock Haven, spent Sunday with Miss Lida Shope and other friends.

Miss Leonore Bryan returned to Williamsport last Saturday.

Fred Neff was admitted to the Bellefonte Hospital on Friday for treatment of the left hand. At present his condition is improved.

The funeral of Mrs. John Wetzler was held Tuesday afternoon from her residence. Those who attended from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brady, of Allentown; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Friez, of Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. Allison Friez, of Turtle Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sliker, of Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Knerr have returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Altoona.

John Haupt, who has been on the sick list the past week, is able to be about again.

Mrs. Piper, of Sunemahoning, is visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Piper.

Mrs. Perry Knerr and daughter Elizabeth, of Altoona, are visiting at the home of J. D. Knerr, on Hazel St.

Zion

Mrs. J. A. Hoy is slowly improving from her illness.

Samuel Clevenshine, who is ill and in bed, is not improving very fast.

William Vonada is excavating a cellar for a new house that he expects to build next summer.

John Yearick is working on a lumber job for McNitt and Mallen near Jacksonville.

The special meetings which are being held in the Evangelical and Lutheran churches, are not so well attended as they should be.

Howard Strable and sister, Mary, left for Miami, Fla., where they expect to stay until April 1st.

Rail Schreckengast left on Sunday for Harrisburg on a business trip.

"It's great to be a reporter,
To sit up late at night,
And scratch your wool
And throw the ball,
And write and write and write."

John Holderman Released.
John Holderman, sentenced some time ago for bootlegging, was paroled from all this week and released on Tuesday.

Howard

Miss Mittie Lucas, our milliner, is spending several weeks in Bellefonte visiting her friends.

A number of children at this place have the chicken pox.

The Misses Sarah Gardner, Margaret Gledhill and Mary Mayes have returned to the Central State Normal School at Lock Haven after spending their Yuletide vacation here with their parents.

Malcolm Schenck returned home on Friday from Pitscain after a week's vacation with Dr. J. B. Hoffman and family.

Albert Robb, a student of Franklin and Marshall College, returned to Lancaster after spending two weeks vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Robb.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Price returned home Friday from Lewistown after a few days visit with Mrs. Price's relatives.

Miss Virginia Weber has returned to the Ithaca Conservatory in Ithaca, N. Y., after spending her holiday vacation here with her mother, Mrs. John Weber.

Edwin Robb, a student at Bucknell College, has returned to take up his studies again. Edwin will graduate next June from the civil engineering department.

RURAL CARRIER KILLED

Ralph G. Meyers, of Mill Hall, Victim of Tragedy.

Ralph G. Meyers, familiarly known as "Rad," and employed by Uncle Sam as a rural mail carrier through lower Nittany valley from the Mill Hall postoffice, was instantly killed on Monday evening. He was run down in Mill Hall by a street car, in charge of Reginald Stables, who said he saw a man walking along the road ahead of the car and he unexpectedly lurched and fell in the path of the trolley, which could not be stopped in time to prevent the tragedy. The young man's body was almost severed by the wheels of the trolley.

The deceased was 41 years old and is survived by his widow, three brothers and four sisters, all of Mill Hall. Funeral services were held in the M. R. church in Mill Hall on Tuesday and burial made in Cedar Hill cemetery.

Fire Burned Their "Y"

The Pennsy trismen of the local switching crew got into hard luck just as old King Winter began to make his reign felt in Centre County. The trismen have been protecting themselves from inclement weather in a shanty at the local yard, known among themselves as their "Bellefonte P. R. Y. M. C. A." The structure was built by the workmen from abandoned boards and whatever they could make use of eight years ago when fire destroyed a similar building for them. It was roughly put up but served well the purpose for which it was intended, a protection and place to warm up when the trismen had a few minutes to themselves, awaiting orders at the local yard; also at meal time when they could eat their lunch or supper in the shanty. With a high wind raking and the temperature about the zero mark, the trismen had a good fire in the stove. It became overheated while the men were away and started the blaze which soon consumed their "Y." The men further lament their loss because they had not considered taking any fire insurance. However, they are cheerful, as trismen are wont to be, and have set about for more material to build for themselves a new place.

Fixing Value of Property.

Fixing the value of the property at the corner of Lamb, Spring and Allegheny Sts., known as the Bellefonte Steam Heating & Gas Co. plant, is a slow task with legal work taking most of the time. The property was condemned last fall and the court appointed M. Ward Fleming, Arthur C. Dale and H. P. Harris as viewers to fix the value and assess the damages for the premises, which are desired by the borough for school purposes. They have had the property posted with notices that the premises will be viewed on Jan. 19 and a public hearing held in the Court House on Feb. 18 to fix the value.

Want to Enlist Men.

The local cavalry troop is putting forth special efforts to increase their enlistment to strength, 65, and a prize of \$75 has been offered to the member who brings in the largest enlistment. The troop has been under its quota for some time and the officers have been notified to enlist to strength or likely the state will discontinue the organization. This would be a blow to the town as approximately \$30,000 comes into circulation here, boosting business just that much, through keeping up the troop.

Threats Placed Hubby in Jail.

Aaron Keenan, of Phillipsburg, was placed in jail in Bellefonte last Thursday on information made by his wife, charging him with having made threats. Keenan's body was marked and bruised and he said this was the result of a severe beating administered by his wife, from whom he had been separated, when she threw him out after he had called at the place where she is residing. Keenan is 53 years old and his matrimonial sea has been turbulent, it seems, for some time.

Dennis Mewshaw Dead.

Dennis Mewshaw, one of the few remaining old furnace workers of this section, died on Monday evening at 8:50 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Caldwell, from cancer of the stomach. Mr. Mewshaw had been at the Caldwell home for the past nine months. He was a native of Elk Ridge, Md., born there on Dec. 31, 1848, but had resided for many years in Bellefonte, when the furnaces were operated hereabouts, finding profitable employment at his chosen occupation. He also resided at Lewistown, moving from there to Bellefonte also at Hollidaysburg and Reading. His wife died in Bellefonte in 1900. He was the last member of his family to pass from this life. Surviving are six daughters as follows: Mrs. Alfred Tate, of Punxsutawney; Mrs. Fred Geren, of Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Samuel Osman, of Sanbury; Mrs. Thomas Caldwell and Mrs. A. J. Engle, of Bellefonte; and Miss Elizabeth Mewshaw, of Pittsburgh. Funeral services were held yesterday and burial made in Union cemetery.

Mrs. William Sholl Dead.

Mrs. William Sholl, formerly a resident of Farmers Mills, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Cramer, in Lewistown, on Saturday afternoon from a stroke of apoplexy. The death of Mrs. Sholl was very unexpected. She had just eaten a hearty dinner, when she became ill. She was taken from the table and assisted to a couch, where she expired in a few moments. The deceased was born at Zion and was 74 years old. Her maiden name was Rebecca Kephardt. For many years she and her husband resided at Farmers Mills, where he died a number of years ago. Surviving are one son, John, of Tyrone; one daughter, Mrs. Cramer, of Lewistown; and two sisters: Mrs. Harrison Kline, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Dave Wagner, of Centre Hall. Burial was made by the side of her husband at Farmers Mills cemetery on Tuesday.

Capt. Edward Dill Dead.

Capt. Edward Dill, died at his home in Bedford on last Thursday morning at the ripe old age of 84 years. The deceased was a native of Germany but came to America in his youth and followed lumbering operations in Centre and Clearfield counties, later moving to Bedford where he conducted the Grand Central hotel for many years. He enlisted in the Federal army during the Civil war and served in both the infantry and cavalry service, being for a short time in one of the southern prisons. Captain Dill was an ardent Republican and frequently figured actively in politics. He is survived by his widow; one daughter to a former marriage—Mrs. John Bain, of Clearfield; and one sister. Burial was made in Bedford cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

Lee Derstine Dead.

Lee Derstine, well known in Bellefonte, died on Monday night from complications, at the Hollidaysburg hospital, where he had been for two and a half years. The deceased was born in Bellefonte on August 17, 1839. He attended the public schools here and was formerly employed at the Candler's bakery, leaving here to go to Altoona to be employed in the Pennsy shops and later accepting employment with N. A. Stevens as an undertaker of that city, where he was working when he became ill. Surviving are his mother, Mary Derstine, of Bellefonte; his widow, who was Miss Edna Wilson, and two children, Louise and Edward, of Ohio. Funeral services were held on Wednesday morning and burial made in the Union cemetery in Bellefonte.

Mrs. John Wetzler Dead.

Mrs. John Wetzler, a highly esteemed resident of Milesburg, died at her home there on Sunday morning at 2:30 o'clock from tuberculosis. Deceased was 42 years old, a daughter of Mrs. and Jane Freese. Her father, a resident of Milesburg; her husband and five children, Lewis, Isabelle, Louise, Dean, and Charlotte, all at home, and the following brothers and sisters survive: Fred and Allison, of Turtle Creek; Mrs. Frank Brady, of Allentown; Mrs. Harry Charles, of Milesburg; and Mrs. John Sliker, of Juniata. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. Croft, pastor of the Baptist church, and interment made at Cartia cemetery.

Mitchell I. Stover Dead.

Mitchell I. Stover, a native of Pine Grove Mills, died in the Altoona hospital on Saturday morning at 3:10 o'clock. He was stricken with paralysis on Friday, his 65th birthday, and was taken to the hospital for treatment. He had worked for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, at Altoona, for 38 years and was listed as a car inspector. He is survived by his widow, five children, and two sisters. Funeral services were held on Monday and burial made at Altoona.

Lewis Bailey Dead.

Lewis Bailey, of Aaronsburg, died at his home there on Saturday morning, very unexpectedly from heart trouble. Deceased was 59 years, 9 months and 23 days old. He was a native of Sugar valley, Clinton County. He is survived by his wife and family, several brothers and sisters. Burial was made at Aaronsburg on Wednesday.

Mrs. Ethan Tierney Dead.

Mrs. Ethan Tierney, a well known resident of Lyonstown, died on Monday morning about 6 o'clock from heart trouble. The deceased had been ailing for some time but was not considered seriously ill and her death at that time was a great shock to her family and friends. The deceased was much devoted to her home, where she will be missed most, and was a woman of many good qualities. She was born at Cortin on June 10, 1862, a daughter of Lawrence and Eliza Bathurst, both deceased. Her maiden name was Annie Elizabeth Bathurst. Surviving are her husband; the following children: Constance and Mrs. Curtin Treasler, both at home; Mrs. John Reed, Charles, Elsie, Harry, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Ryan Halberg, of Ridgway; and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. E. W. Wheatley, of Chicago, Ill.; Jacob Bathurst, of Pittsburgh; John, of Bellwood; Mrs. Charles Meyers and Mrs. E. W. Durkee, of Phillipsburg; Mrs. G. W. Barner, Mrs. Fred Gebret, Harry, Will, Earl, Queen, of Altoona; Lawrence, of Buffalo; Bert, of Bellefonte; and Mrs. Clayton Packer, of Lock Haven. Funeral services were held from the home this Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock by Rev. M. C. Piper and burial made in Cartia cemetery.

Mrs. C. F. Goodyear Dead.

Mrs. Ann Amelia Goodyear, wife of C. F. Goodyear, and a native of Bellefonte, died at her home in Fullerton, Cal., just before Christmas, according to word reaching here this week. The deceased was a daughter of Robert L. and Julianna DeHaven Williams, for years residents of Bellefonte. Had she lived until Jan. 9, she would have been 86 years old, death coming from infirmities due to her advanced age. Her husband, two daughters and one son survive. Burial was made in Long Vista cemetery, Fullerton.

Report of the Condition — of the — SNOW SHOE BANK

Report of the condition of the Snow Shoe Bank located at Snow Shoe, Pennsylvania, at the close of business Dec. 31st, 1923:

RESOURCES.	
Reserve Fund:	
Cash, specie and notes	\$25,925.15
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	61,751.70
Deposits	593.19
Notes and bills	4,115.50
Bills discounted: Upon one name	4,115.50
Bills discounted: Upon two or more names	41,640.80
Time loans with collateral	38,738.50
Call loans with collateral	33,049.80
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages	29,425.00
Loans on call: Upon one name	250.00
Loans on call: Upon two or more names	3,470.00
Bonds	322,445.77
Stocks	1,563.40
Office building and lot	7,435.00
Furniture and fixtures	7,787.08
Overdrafts	307.58
Other assets not included in above	58.25
Total	\$579,181.25
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in cash	\$25,000.00
Surplus	15,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	19,645.88
Demand Deposits:	
Deposits subject to check \$230,716.71	
Deposits, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania	5,000.00
Certified Checks	5.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	1568,728.237,315.44
Time Deposits:	
Time certificates of Deposit	8,850.41
Special time deposits	1,534.50
Time Savings fund deposits	221,508,72,231,719.93
Dividends Unpaid	3,000.00
Bills payable on time	40,000.00
Reserve for Depreciation	7,500.00
Total	\$579,181.25
State of Pennsylvania.	
County of Centre, ss:	
I, NEWELL B. LONG, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
NEWELL B. LONG, Cashier	
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Jan., 1924.	
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Accident on Mountain Road.

The Nash touring car of W. H. Martin, of Bellefonte, was damaged considerably on Saturday night when the Buick car of the Rev. J. F. Connelly, of Snow Shoe, collided broadside with it on the mountain road to Snow Shoe. Mr. Martin was driving up the mountain enroute to Snow Shoe and was accompanied by Scott Stover. The former saw the Buick car approaching and drove close to a wire cable placed for protection of motorists. Rev. Connelly applied his brakes and this caused his car to skid, resulting in the accident. The cars were saved from complete wreckage and the occupants from serious injuries by the cable's strength as the side of the mountain is very steep and open for probably 200 feet at the place where the mishap occurred.

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Girl Died from Exhaustion.

Local officials were informed last Thursday to be on the lookout for 6 girls who escaped from the home at Muncy the day preceding. The girls were described as between the ages of 21 and 25, all wearing blue dresses, excepting one, who had on a pink dress, all having bobbed hair and among them, having several heavy coats. The girls were last seen at Sylvan Dell and were headed this way. Five were found along the railroad, near Loyalsock, sometime Friday and were nearly frozen. Agnes Swanson, aged 19, of Wilkes-Barre, died on Monday as a result of exhaustion.

Organized New Lodge.

A new lodge, the Protected Home Circle was organized here with 23 members. They meet regularly on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday evenings of each month in the Red Men's hall in the Centre County Bank building at 8 o'clock.

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Dust Small Things First. Small pictures and bric-a-brac should first be dusted. If not removed from the room entirely they should be placed in a pile and covered. Furniture, mirrors, and pictures should be dusted and covered with cloths. Draperies and portieres should be taken down or pinned up. Radiators, registers, grates, stoves, or fireplaces should be cleaned. Walls, ceiling and baseboards should be brushed and dusted, and floor and floor coverings cleaned according to the kind. The object of sweeping and dusting is to remove dust, not to scatter it. In sweeping, the strokes should be firm and even. Keep the broom or

brush on the floor most of the time instead of flitting it through the air. The dust cloth should be held in a fairly compact mass, so that the surface to be cleaned is wiped or polished and at the same time the dust is held by the cloth. While the dust is settling, remove spots from the woodwork and wash windows if necessary.

The covers may then be taken from pictures and furniture. They should be shaken out of doors if possible. Then the room and furniture should be dusted thoroughly, beginning at the top of the room and working down.

Use of Vacuum Cleaner. When a room is cleaned with a vacuum cleaner, the order of proceeding is different. The room is first dusted, then the vacuum cleaner is used on upholstery, hangings, walls, and carpets or rugs, and finally the floor is dusted. By this method of cleaning fewer articles need to be moved, no dust is scattered, and more dirt is actually removed. A vacuum cleaner, therefore, saves time and labor.

WOMAN HEADS HOME ECONOMICS BUREAU

Dr. Louise Stanley Is Recipient of Unusual Honor.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

For the first time in the history of the United States Department of Agriculture a woman, Dr. Louise Stanley, has been recently made chief of a bureau—the newly created bureau of home economics. The desirability of appointing a woman to this position will be appreciated when it is understood that the work of the Department of Agriculture is intended to serve the needs of the whole farm family in agriculture and home economics. While many of its bureaus give their attention to matters which chiefly concern the farmer, such as crops, live stock, soil conditions, insect pests, or general

advantage of the whole family, and that what a mother does should be recognized and appreciated. At the same time, with more information as to what other housekeepers and scientific workers have found out about good household management, the proper feeding of the family, the best utensils and equipment to buy or the most durable materials for clothing, every mother can render better service to her family with less effort on her own part. To supply information on all such questions and to make investigations which will lead to continued improvement in household methods, the new bureau of home economics was established.

Printed leaflets, known as "Farmers' Bulletins" and dealing with a great many topics of interest to housekeepers, may be had free upon application to the United States Department of Agriculture. Those on food subjects contain good recipes which have been thoroughly tested.

For the present year the new bureau of home economics will continue work already begun in nutrition, food preparation and other household problems. After next July scientific studies will be made to learn how the family income should be spent, what woman's work in the home is actually worth if wages were paid, how to select clothing and dress materials to best advantage, how to choose the most nourishing foods, how much housing ought to cost, the best kind of equipment to buy, such as furnaces, hot water heaters, stoves, refrigerators, the best plan for a kitchen. As these studies are completed information relating to them will be circulated in the newspapers and magazines and in the form of farmers' bulletins.

COOK RABBITS LIKE CHICKEN

Those Raised Especially for Market Are Apt to Be More Tender Than Wild Ones.

Rabbits may be served in any way chicken is liked—fried, fricasseed, smothered, baked, in a casserole, in pie, croquettes, or hash. While wild rabbits are often relished, those especially raised for the market are apt to be more tender and will cook in less time. The bureau of home economics, United States Department of Agriculture, recommends the following way of preparing an excellent casserole of rabbit:

Clean and disjoint the rabbit into as many pieces as desired. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and dredge with flour. Fry to a delicate brown, preferably in sausage or bacon fat, though any clean cooking fat may be used. When the rabbit is done, put the pieces in a casserole and pour over them a gravy made from four tablespoonfuls of the fat in which it was fried, blended with four tablespoonfuls of flour and four cupfuls of stock or boiling water, seasoned well with salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce. If the casserole is prepared early in the day it may be reheated in the oven for dinner. It should be boiled in the casserole from half an hour to an hour, or until the meat is very tender.



Dr. Louise Stanley, Chief of Bureau of Home Economics.

farm management, it is part of the function of the department work as laid down by law, also to help the woman on the farm.

In many rural homes it has been found that the life of the mother is a continual round of drudgery. This is sometimes due to failure to understand the best ways of doing housework to save labor and strength. Frequently it is due to lack of conveniences. The bureau of home economics wants all women to be informed of the best and most modern practice in regard to everything connected with home-making. This does not necessarily mean urging people to buy expensive new equipment. It is possible to make housework so interesting and so dignified that it is a satisfaction, instead of drudgery, to do it. The bureau of home economics believes that it takes brains to manage a home to the best

The AMERICAN LEGION

(Copy for This Department Supplied by the American Legion News Service.)

LEGION WILL DEMAND ACTION

Prominent Co-Operation Leader Is Chosen to Direct Legislative Program Before Congress.

To Aaron Sapiro, known in Washington and throughout the nation for his constructive plans of co-operative farming and marketing, is entrusted direction of the legislative program of the American Legion for 1924. According to an announcement made by National Commander John R. Quinn, Sapiro will head the American Legion's national legislative committee as chairman. Other members of this committee were also announced.

John Thomas Taylor, vice chairman of the 1923 committee, will remain in Washington continuously as representative of this Legion committee. Other members are J. Danforth Bush, lieutenant governor of Delaware; O. L. Bodenhamer, past department commander of the Legion in Arkansas; Gilbert Bettman, past department commander of the Legion in Ohio, and for two terms a member of the legislative committee under previous administrations. Gen. James S. Scrugham of Carson City, Nev.; Past National Vice Commander Edward J. Barrett of Sheboygan, Wis.; Dr. A. A. Van Dyke of St. Paul, Minn.; Dr. R. J. Baird of Algoma, Ia., and Mac Stewart, Jr., of Galveston, Tex.

The present session of congress calls for service of this committee. The Legion's outlined legislative program calls for action on child labor; passage of the universal draft act for conscription of man and money power in case of war; retirement pay for disabled emergency officers; concentration of all veterans' affairs under a joint committee of house and senate; reorganization of veterans' bureau institutions for veterans of all wars and without regard to requirements of "service origin" for admission; land reclamation; questions affecting civil service positions for former fighters; the adjusted compensation measure as sponsored by the organization and numerous other suggested bills which have received endorsement of the Legion.

VICTIMS OF MENTAL TROUBLE

Many Ex-Service Men Are Held as Prisoners—American Legion to Make Investigation.

A great per cent of ex-service men imprisoned in state and federal penitentiaries for crime are suffering from some mental disability, caused by the war. Reports of such instances from many states have led to preparation for a survey to be undertaken by the American Legion in every state of the Union.

Oklahoma, first of the state departments of the Legion to complete the preliminary work as directed by the national organization, has found that 217 men who served during the World war are now in the penal institutions of that state. Of these men, 50 per cent were enlisted or inducted from Oklahoma.

In order that these men will have the proper care and treatment in case it is found that their crime might have been due to mental defect caused by the war, a careful investigation will be made of each case. This will be undertaken with regard to the rights and experiences of the former fighter, back pay, allotment, undistributed Liberty bonds, compensation and hospitalization and other features which the Legion has helped in securing for others who served.

Actual work of the survey will be undertaken in Oklahoma by a soldiers' relief commission which is functioning in that state by state direction. American Legion workers have been assigned by officials of that organization to work with the commission and bring about relief for any of the men found to be deranged and in penal institutions rather than in hospitals for criminal insane.

Post Provides Entertainment.

The George N. Kemp post of the American Legion in East Stroudsburg, Pa., has outlined many ambitious programs but none to equal that for 1924. It is doubtful, even if any other post of the veterans' organization in the country will attempt to stage and produce such unusual events. The annual automobile show, usually sponsored by the dealers, will be the first of the winter's activities. Then will come production of the opera, "Il Pagliaccio," by an amateur cast, to be followed by a huge military ball, a sacred concert and other events.

Awarded Medal From Legion.

Herman Edson, a cadet attending the Bailey Military Institute at Greenwood, N. C., has been awarded a medal from the American Legion, given for his excellence in scholarship and athletic attainments. Edson is one of the most popular men in the school and has maintained a high scholastic average throughout his course. The Legion gave the young student the medal as representing a high type of youth of America.

CAROLINA'S BIG LEGION MAN

Dr. Thurman Mann of High Point, National Vice Commander, Best Known Member.

If one were to ask a Carolinian whom he considered the best known American Legion member in the "Tar Heel" state, he very likely would reply: "Dr. Thurman Mann of High Point."

Doctor Mann, who was elected as national vice commander of the American Legion at the San Francisco convention, has had a long period of service with the Legion. Beginning as post member he passed through the posts of commander, department service officer, member of the executive committee and other positions of importance in the state organization.

Doctor Mann was born in Siler City, N. C., November 3, 1888. He was educated in the schools of High Point, and entered Trinity college at Durham in 1905, attending that institution for two years. In 1909 he attended the University of North Carolina, leaving that institution two years later to enter Jefferson Medical college, where he obtained a degree.

Following his graduation from the medical school, he served for twenty-five months as an interne in Kings County hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y. This was followed by a period of service as ship's surgeon between New York and Porto Rico. On completion of this tour of duty, Doctor Mann entered



Dr. Thurman Mann.

practice at High Point, where he remained until 1918, when he enlisted in the Medical corps of the army.

He was assigned to service with the Fourteenth division at Camp Custer, and with other physicians labored under great difficulties during the influenza epidemic, which swept the country.

When he became commander of the High Point Legion post, but 28 members were on its roster. As he left it after three years' service as its leader he had brought the membership to 270. As department service officer, he succeeded in obtaining nearly a quarter of a million dollars as compensation for the men of his state.

AGAINST FUNDS FOR GERMANS

Tank Corps Post of Washington Directing Fight to Prevent Action by Congress.

Declaring that so-called "humanitarian reasons" are not sufficient cause for the appropriation of funds by congress for relief of German citizens, the Tank Corps post of the American Legion in Washington, D. C., is directing a fight against spending of taxpayers' money in this fashion.

A resolution passed by the post sets forth the fact that congress will be asked to provide funds for the relief and care of German subjects in Germany, and as a power against whom Americans had so recently fought, such a course was a violation of fundamental laws of the nation. The resolution will be presented to members of congress, in order to apprise the members of that body of the views of the former service men in this instance.

To Include Allies' Men.

Under provisions of an amended eligibility clause, membership in the American Legion has been broadened to include a large class of soldiers of the allied forces of the World war. On action taken by the Legion at the San Francisco convention, men who served with allied forces whether at the time of entry in such service American citizens, or later accepting naturalization from that country, are admissible. This applies particularly to a great number of Canadian veterans who have become American citizens since the war, as well as making eligible thousands who enlisted in the armies of other nations during the war, but who were previously barred from the Legion because of their service under foreign colors.

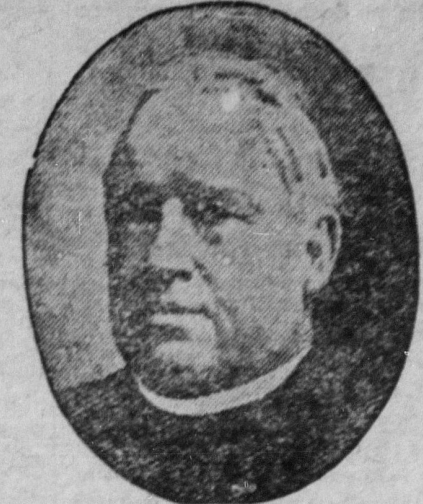
Inter-City Post Visits.

A motor caravan consisting of 30 automobiles conveyed members of the American Legion in Tampa, Fla., to Clearwater, for the first of a series of inter-post visits in that state. The Legion men were accompanied by members of the American Legion auxiliary and of the Red Cross.

Search No Further.

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What Are Pan Fish?

The term pan fish is many times misinterpreted. Some seem to think that this includes only an inferior sort of species, and others that it is merely a term applicable to most any fish which happens to be taken and which is edible. The true pan fish is composed of small but game dwellers of the singing waters of brooks, creeks and rivers, and the shore lines of the lakes. Bream (bluegill or sunfish), rock bass, yellow perch, ringed perch and the horny chub, or dace, are all part and parcel of the pan-fish tribe. —Sportsman's Digest.

Thousands Keep in Good Health

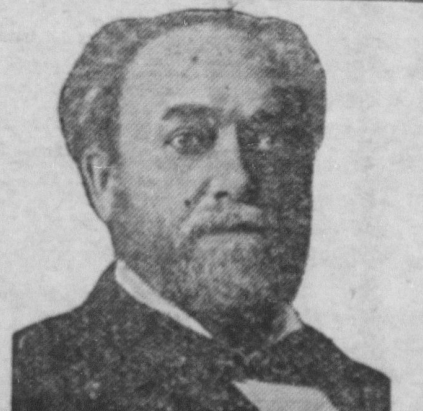
by taking one or two Brandreth Pills at bed time. They cleanse the system and purify the blood.—Adv.

Evidence.

"Do pupils really love teacher?"

"Well, they frequently marry him."

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A MAN OF INTEGRITY

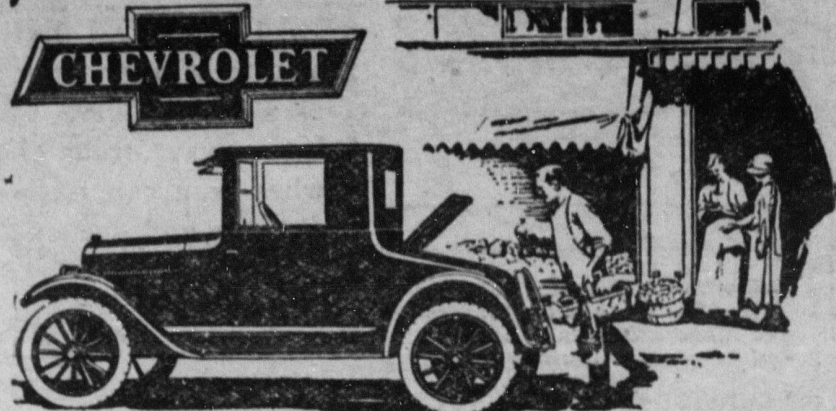
A physician who reaches out to benefit humanity leaves a record behind him that is worth while. Such a man was Dr. R. V. Pierce, founder of the Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y. He was an eminent physician, a leading and honored citizen, known for his honesty and executive ability. His study along medical lines, and his knowledge of the remedial qualities of herbs and plants led to the discovery of his wonderful herbal remedy, Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the woman's tonic which has had the greatest number of supporters for the past fifty years. It is just the herbal tonic required if a woman is borne down by pain and sufferings at regular or irregular intervals, by nervousness or dizzy spells, headache or backache. Favorite Prescription can now be had in tablet form as well as liquid at most drug stores.

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Synthetic Rocks Produced in Day

Laboratory Reproductions Equal Earth's Finest Work—Use Nature's Processes.

Washington.—What is claimed to be the latest wonder of modern science is the man-made reproduction of synthetic minerals, to be followed in a few months by synthetic rocks. The reproductions are said to equal mother earth's finest workmanship and to require less than a millionth part of the estimated time needed by her.

They are the fruits of years of patient research and laborious hours in the laboratory; of hazardous experiments with powerful machines capable of exerting pressure of 200,000 pounds to the square inch—all carried to their present stage of success at the geophysical laboratory of the Carnegie institute of Washington.

To manufacture minerals and rocks science is simply duplicating nature's processes, but is accomplishing the same results, on a much smaller scale, of course, in a single working day. Nature took bewildering ages and smelted her wonders in the vast forges of the earth; science is fabricating its copies in a few highly polished and innocent-looking little steel "bombs."

Same Minerals Used.

Mother earth manufactured her minerals and rocks, science has learned, by means of extreme heat and extreme pressure. First the minerals known to be contained in the mineral under experiment are poured into a tiny tube made of pure platinum, one end of which is sealed by solid gold. The opposite end is then sealed and this container placed in the "bomb."

The bomb is made of the finest steel obtainable. Its aperture is small and its walls extremely thick in comparison, all making it capable of withstanding the terrific test it is about to undergo. A small electric furnace made of the same, although impure, constituents of rubies, is placed in the "bomb" and the apparatus sealed. Then it is ready for the ordeal of searing heat and gigantic pressures.

Both are applied gradually, the heat sometimes being permitted to register as high as 2,500 degrees Fahrenheit and the pressure as much as 60,000 pounds to the square inch. Gradually the gauges creep up, and up and up. Suddenly they relax and the pressure drops. The watchful attendants know "something" has happened inside the bomb and the heat and pressure are quickly turned off. When the platinum container is cut open mineral particles or rocks, whichever the case may be, are found inside.

Rocks That Will Bend.

Not only are these minerals the replicas of nature's own products, but in many instances pure—completely free from the discolored impurities that are found in the natural originals. For instance the jadeite made at the geophysical laboratory of the Carnegie institute is light yellow in color. Natural jade is green. The green coloring, however, is supplied by an impurity, and the synthetic jade readily could be made the same shade by including the impurity in its constituents.

Science has gone nature one better in its experiments. It has discovered that by injecting more water into the rocks it can make them susceptible to bending—gelatin-like. If still more water is forced into them under heat and pressure they are quite readily reduced to liquid—liquid rock, in fact. But when the uninitiated visitor to the laboratory opens his eyes in wonder at such spectacles, the scientists simply laugh and quite learnedly say: "Why, there's nothing so remarkable about that."

Able to Compress Water.

Tests with high pressure have also disproved some old theories. The first is that water cannot be compressed. Science has discovered that water can not only be compressed, but that under

a pressure of 130,000 pounds to the square inch it freezes into a cake of ice so thickly condensed that it sinks like rock in water. Mercury, too—the "unfreezable" mineral used in thermometers—can be frozen under a pressure of 170,000 pounds to the square inch.

Science has yet to learn, however, to duplicate the wonders of nature at the same cost before it can compete with her in the commercial world. Mother earth can do her work so vastly cheaper in that respect. For instance, if you were determined to have a synthetic tombstone, science could probably make you a granite one—but it would cost something like a billion dollars. Fortunes spent in research and past experiments must of course be figured in "cost production." The important fact, however, is that man can now make granite.

Of far greater value for the present are the laboratory's contributions to the study of seismology. Its experiments have resulted in scientists being able to determine accurately the flexibility of the various kinds of rocks and hence the speed with which earthquake waves pass through each kind. Thus, by timing the passage of an earthquake wave at different stations it is now possible for the experts to say with assurance of accuracy just what kind of rocks lie buried far beyond the reach of man in the respective areas.

HUNDREDS DIED HERE



Remains of a 12-story tower in a Tokyo amusement park which collapsed in the earthquake, killing about 700 persons.

Civil War Vet Has 77 Great-Grandchildren

Syracuse.—Perry Soles Cobb, of Lynders, Onondaga county, celebrated his ninety-sixth birthday at his home at Adams recently, at a party given by his daughter to his 151 descendants. Mr. Cobb, the oldest Civil war veteran living in Jefferson county, boasts of 11 children, 63 grandchildren, 71 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

U. S. Savants Win Calendar Row

Earliest Date in the New World History Is August 6, 613 B. C.

Cambridge, Mass.—The earliest dates in New World history are August 6, 613 B. C., and December 10, 580 B. C., by the present system of marking time, the Peabody Museum of Harvard university announced in making public the final solution of the chronology of Mayan dates.

This solution, made possible by the studies of Dr. H. J. Shinden of the museum, is hailed as a distinct victory for the American school of research in the records of the ancient inhabitants of Central America, since it follows the lines of approach laid down by several scientists of the United States in contradistinction to the basic theories of the German, French and Spanish savants.

"These positive and perfectly defined points in chronology probably fell within the working years of one of the world's first scientists, the unknown mathematical and astronomical genius who invented the Central American calendar and established the Mayan era," the museum's announcement says.

Spaniards Destroyed Books.

"Actually the numerous dates on the monuments of the great Mayan civilization in Yucatan and adjacent territory are counted from a beginning day which corresponds to October 14, 3573 B. C., but this beginning day was reached by putting seven cycles of 144,000 days each for the past of the world before the historical first day of the numerical count.

"This historical first day was August 6, 613 B. C. At this time a numerical record of elapsed days was begun, and in the years that followed various astronomical events were put down as they happened, a procedure which soon gave a picture of time adequate for the perfection of a calendarial machine.

"On the second date (December 10, 580 B. C.), the perfected calendar of the Mayas was formally inaugurated, according to an inscription at the ruined Mayan city of Copan in western Honduras. This perfected calendar functioned without the loss of a single day for 2,000 years only to break down and pass out of use when Mayan books were destroyed by the Spanish inquisition in Yucatan in A. D. 1561."

Discovery of the key to the ancient calendar of the Central American Indians reveals that surprising intellectual power existed in the western world before the coming of Columbus, the report declares, and adds:

Doctor Spinden Solved Mystery.

"The inauguration of the perfected Mayan calendar on December 10, 580 B. C., means the invention before this date of a symbol for zero—or completion, according to the Maya mind—as well as figures for entire numbers. It means place value notation in the writing of numbers.

"Now place value notation was unknown to the Greeks and the Romans, and its introduction into western Europe was accomplished by the Arabs. This was the Arabic decimal system upon which modern mathematics depend.

"The Mayan system was arranged on a modified base of twenty and therefore does not exactly parallel the Arabic system. The inauguration of the Mayan calendar at this early time means that the hieroglyphs of the twenty days of the month, the eighteen months of the year, etc., had already taken form."

Doctor Spinden, who is given credit for the solution of a mystery that puzzled scientists for many years, worked out a day-for-day correlation of the Mayan and Gregorian calendars and corroborated his findings by using dates on monuments in ancient cities such as Copan, Tikal and Palenque, in connection with absolute astronomical events. Tables have been formed whereby Mayan dates can be transferred easily into Christian dates and vice versa.

Told Farmer What to Do.

"The most dramatic proof is the discovery that a series of monuments at Copan deal with an ancient congress of astronomy in 503 A. D.," the report says. "It appears that in 392 A. D., two monuments were set up on hills on either side of the valley of Copan, the western one showing clearly on the skyline.

"These monuments are between four and five miles apart and a person standing before the eastern one, or at some spot in the city, on the line connecting the two monuments, would see the sun set directly behind the western monument two times in the course of the year, namely, April 9 and September 2 in the average Gregorian year.

"Both of these dates are recorded at Copan on various monuments and they appear prominently at other cities. They are connected with calculations leading directly to the days of the equinoxes and solstices. The astronomical congress at Copan celebrated a common acceptance of certain features of the calendar and a shift in the base line which involved a concept of relativity too complicated for easy explanation.

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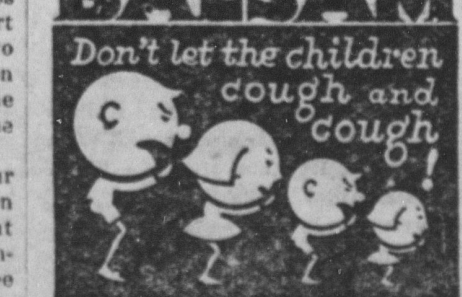
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Here and There.

Dr. Elsie Meek departed on Monday afternoon for Washington, D. C.

Russell Stickler visited over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stickler.

Mrs. Charles Heverly has been quite ill with pneumonia at her home on Bishop street.

William S. Furst, Esq., of Philadelphia, has been a guest this week of his mother, Mrs. Caroline C. Furst.

The Misses Parker are spending the winter in Daytona, Florida, departing on Monday for this southern resort.

Frank Bartley went to Johnstown on Saturday, planning to be in the city several days on a business mission.

Samuel Bryan went to Philadelphia on Saturday afternoon to be with his family, having spent the holidays in Bellefonte.

Judge Henry C. Quigley departed on Tuesday night for Philadelphia, where he will preside in Court for the next three weeks.

Bossert DeHass, one of the bustling employees at the Electric Supply Store, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Lee Sterns, at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartley and Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Knerr went to Altoona on Monday to attend the funeral that afternoon of Mitchell Stover.

Mrs. Joseph Ceadar returned to Newark on Saturday morning after spending the holidays in Bellefonte with her daughter, Mrs. McClure Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Struble, of Crescon, are visiting at their parental homes here with Mr. and Mrs. Edward O. Struble and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. McClincy.

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Miss Frances Geppert, formerly of Clearfield, is the new clerk at the local P. R. R. freight office. A. L. Row, whose place she has taken, will probably return to Clearfield.

Andrew Sodergren, formerly in the local Electric Supply Store and for several months at Lock Haven, in the branch store there, spent Sunday in Bellefonte with his sister, Mrs. Ward Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Wetzel returned on Saturday to their home in Chicago, Ill., after spending the holidays in this vicinity with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wetzel and Mr. and Mrs. John Barnhart.

Mrs. Mary Harper went to Philadelphia last week and was met in that city by her son, John Harper, of Schenectady, N. Y. Mrs. Harper planned to enter a hospital in Philadelphia to undergo an operation.

Sergeant Joseph Lucas, recently given an honorable discharge from the United States army, is visiting home folks. Sgt. Lucas was last stationed at the Hawaiian Islands, a member of the 57th coast artillery.

Mrs. Sarah Saterfield has gone to Thomasville, Georgia, where she will spend the winter months. She is enjoying her visit to the land of sunshine, while her home friends here have lately been experiencing zero weather.

Miss Rebecca N. Rhoads is in Washington, D. C., this week as one of the delegates from Pennsylvania to attend the annual convention of the Anti-Saloon League. Miss Rhoads was appointed by Governor Pinchot to attend this meeting representing Centre County.

Mrs. William Bathurst returned on Saturday to her home in Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Charles Henderson to her home in Washington, D. C., on Sunday, after being called here on account of the serious injury of their brother, Miles Shultz, whose recovery now seems assured.

C. M. Parrish and son Joseph attended the funeral at Rhensburg on Friday of the former's brother, E. C. Parrish, who passed away the preceding Monday after a short illness. He was 72 years old. Surviving are his widow, six children and one sister, Miss Flora Parrish, all of Rhensburg.

Miss Isabel Epley returned on Monday afternoon to her home in Pittsburgh after visiting for a week with her grand parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Young. Miss Epley visits frequently with her grandparents, to whom she is much devoted. During her visits here she has made many friends.

Telford Fink, who is in the hardware business in Tyrone with his brothers, spent Sunday at his home here. Mr. Fink is looking for a house in Tyrone, in which to move his family and effects, but says they seem to be even harder to secure there than in Bellefonte. The property he is occupying on East Bishop street has been rented to Mrs. Mary Robb and daughter, Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, who reside east of Milesburg, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son at the Bellefonte hospital on last Thursday night. The new manager of the household has been christened Richard Burton Allen. He weighed six pounds at birth and has already given promise of being a lively success. Justly proud are the parents of the little fellow that has come to add brightness to their home.

"Pad" Seidel, of Easton, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Barnhart.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Thompson of Curwensville, were visitors part of this week at the A. G. Heverly home on High Street.

The condition of Mrs. Rachel Harris, of this place, who fell and broke her hip while in Johnstown last week, is reported to be as satisfactory as could be expected.

Mrs. Samuel Cupp, of Centre Line, fell down a flight of steps at her home on Saturday afternoon and fractured her hip and on Monday was taken to the Altoona hospital.

Maurice Krader is among those in New York this week to take in the great automobile show at the armory there, having left for the big city on Tuesday afternoon.

Robert Hunter returned home on Tuesday afternoon from Philadelphia, accompanying his daughter, Miss Martha, on her return to the School of Arts, where she is a pupil.

Friday evening, January 11th, at 8 o'clock the Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church will hold a "500" card party in the Parish house on Lamb street. Refreshments. Everybody invited. Admission 50c.

Jacob Cole went to Altoona yesterday afternoon to visit with his son, Otterbein, and daughters, Mrs. Win Love and Frank Dawson. From the Mountain City he will go to Pittsburgh to visit with his daughter, Mrs. Lawrence O'Leary, and family.

John P. Harris, the venerable retired banker now in his 93rd year and still enjoying good health, was one of our pleasant callers this week. Always optimistic, apparently with no worries, it is a great pleasure to have a call from Bellefonte's oldest man.

Edward M. Decker, who had been off duty since the latter part of November due to the injury of his hand when he was cut by a piece of glass at the fire at the David Barlet home, returned to work again on New Year's day at the local freight office. His hand seems to be healing nicely and no after effects are expected.

Lynn Blackford was a Bellefonte visitor on Monday. It is not often that Mr. Blackford gets back to the home town as his business interests in Huntingdon keep him rather busy, but he came over this week with his son Jack who started to the Academy on Monday and who will make his headquarters at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Garthoff, on Reynolds Ave.

St. John's Reformed Church—Ambrose M. Schmidt, D. D. minister. Friday evening at 7.30 preparatory services will be held. After this service the annual congregational meeting will be called. Annual reports will be read and the election of officers will take place. The members are urged to attend both of these services. Sunday morning 10:45, Holy Communion also at the evening service; Sunday school at 9:30; C. E. at 6:45 P. M.

Methodist Episcopal church—The New Year is beginning with a revival spirit. The meetings will continue next week each night except Saturday. This is to be an "Every Member Revival." If you cannot come, pray at home for the work. Sunday, the message at 10:45 is "The Mission of the Holy Spirit;" at 7:30, "The Separating Power of Sin;" Juniors, 2:00; Lesques, 6:30; Sunday School, 9:30. If you enjoy good singing, a live meeting full of the spirit, come each night to the meetings. All are welcome. E. E. McKelvey.

HOWARD MOORE DEAD

Prominent Resident of Howard Passed Away Yesterday.

Howard Moore, one of the best known residents of Howard, died in the Lock Haven hospital Wednesday afternoon at 3:25 o'clock. He underwent a serious operation last Thursday and on Monday was stricken with apoplexy.

The deceased was born in Milesburg, March 15, 1854, a son of Agnew and Mary Moore, both deceased. He was reared in Milesburg but spent the greater part of his life in Howard, residing there for 47 years and conducting a drug store. He took an active interest in the affairs of that community and had served as school director and member of Council during several terms. He was postmaster under the administration of President Cleveland.

Fraternally he was a member of the Bellefonte Masons, Lodge No. 568, F. & A. M., and of Howard Lodge, No. 311, I. O. O. F. He was also one of the active members of the Lick Run Presbyterian church.

Surviving are his widow, who was Miss Laura Jane Ryman, a Milesburg girl he married on June 24, 1876; two sons, Claude R., a resident of Howard but employed in Philadelphia; Chester, of Montoursville; one daughter, Mrs. Mabel Jacobs, at home; four sisters: Mrs. Clara Boileau, Miss Mary Moore, Mrs. Emma Penn, all of Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. Abe Weber, of Howard; also two brothers: Thomas Moore, of Philadelphia, and Ralph, of Los Angeles, Cal.

Funeral services will be conducted by his pastor, Rev. Mr. Brown, at the late home in Howard on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

COUNCIL IN SESSION

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and Undine fire companies for their efficiency in 1923.

The report of the fire marshal is as follows: GENTLEMEN:

I was re-elected fire marshal, Jan. 15, 1923, for another year and, during my term, the department responded to exactly 40 alarms which is double the number for last year. They were divided as follows:

Number of alarms in borough, 31; number of false alarms, 6; extinguished by chemicals, 21; extinguished by water, 4.

Total value property involved, \$270,550; total amount of damage, \$11,950.

Number alarms out of borough, 9; amount of hose on hand, 2,260 feet; amount of hose ordered, 1,100 feet, making a total of 3,360 feet.

The above figures for property damage and property involved were arrived at by counting only calls in which we got into action to extinguish. All other calls in which we did not get into action were counted as false alarms. Neither were out of the borough calls included.

It seems remarkable when you consider that the damage resulting from fires was slightly less than 4 1/2% of the total value of property involved. This is very much better than last year, which was about 6 1/4%. I attribute this remarkable showing to the efficiency of the department in answering calls promptly and the use of chemicals; also, to our new apparatus. I cannot emphasize too emphatically that Bellefonte never in its history made a better investment. The apparatus is in excellent condition and I cannot speak too highly of the men operating it—for the care and attention they have used at all times and under all conditions.

I also wish to say that I attended our District Firemen's convention held in Clearfield, Pa., and of all the apparatus which I inspected I can safely state that our equipment is second to none and is kept in much better condition than any I saw.

The hose in both houses is practically all new, with the exception of about 550 feet which is serviceable and in good condition. I believe there are several hundred feet in the hands of the borough manager to be repaired, which should be attended to at once, as it may be needed sooner or later. The 1100 feet which has been ordered will put the department in wonderful shape, as we will then have 2 sets of hose for each company, thereby cutting down loss from mildew and rot and for use in case of emergency.

I cannot conclude without praising the men in the department for their loyalty and courage. I also wish to thank the members of Council for their support of the department.

Wishing the citizens, Council and members of the department a happy and prosperous New Year, I am, Respectfully,

R. E. KLINE

Investigating Accident.

Two members of the state motor patrol, from the Lock Haven station, watched the highway through Nittany valley last Thursday. The highways were in bad shape for motoring, the fall of sleet and rain having made them very slippery. A Chevrolet coupe was damaged slightly when it skidded and was upset along the highway just east of town near the Merrill Kerstetter farm. The patrolmen took the license number to make an investigation, the driver of the car having left it. The car was at the side of the road at dusk on Thursday evening but was gone on Friday morning, presumably being removed during the night.

Hayes—Long.

A wedding of interest to our readers in Nittany valley was that of Harold B. Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hayes, of Mackeyville, and Miss Frances C. Long, a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Long, of Mill Hall, R. F. D., on New Year's evening at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Long united the happy couple in wedlock. The attendants were Carl Hayes, of Hubersburg, and Miss Verna May Long a sister of the bride. They enjoyed a honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls and New York city. They will reside with the groom's parents.

Jones—Eckle.

Stephen Jones, of Wilkes-Barre, and Miss Harriet Eckle, of Bellefonte, were united in marriage on Monday at noon at the E. parsonage in Cumberland, Md., by the Rev. H. L. Schloke, returning to Bellefonte that evening. The groom is employed in the Knox restaurant at State College but plans to locate in Wilkes-Barre in the spring, where they will reside. The bride is one of our best known young folks and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Eckle, of Reynolds avenue. A host of friends join in best wishes for a long and happy life.

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DID NOT LIKE SCHOOL

Boy Found Asleep on Porch Chose to Walk Away.

Hard to understand indeed are the traits sometimes displayed by children and no better place could be found to observe them than in the work of county auxiliaries of the Children's Aid Society of Western Pennsylvania. Mrs. W. W. Waddle, vice-president and treasurer of the Centre County society, has been in this work many years and has made close observations in that time so that she was not surprised when a boy of 12 or 13 years, whom she had taken a liking to, walked away rather than go to school. That boy was Thomas Clayton Devor, of French descent, but who spoke English very well.

He came to Bellefonte from Altoona on Christmas night, having saved just enough money to buy a ticket for this distance. At 2 o'clock in the morning he was found sleeping on the porch in front of the Hazel residence on Allegheny St., by William Kline and ultimately became "adopted" by Mrs. Waddle, as a number of children and young folks needed aid have.

His coming seemed like the spirit of Christmas—Mrs. Waddle expecting to have another opportunity for caring for the lad and giving him a chance to develop his apparent chances; the lad getting a good home.

But going to school had never appealed to the boy apparently and he balked when he found it was to go to school rather than work. Sent to the Allegheny St. building for a mental test, he was selected as at least an 8th grade pupil. All seemed well and he started again to the building for another test. He never returned and it is the opinion of Mrs. Waddle that he chose to try his own luck rather than go to school, even if it did mean giving up a good home.

Some of the incidents regarding the lad are peculiarly interesting. His parents are both dead. The lad seemed unusually bright, had pretty features and jet black hair, so that he appealed to all with whom he came in contact. He was poorly clad when found and said, "I saw a policeman sleeping against a post and then I fell asleep watching him."

"Will you go on a farm to work?" he was asked.

"Anywhere you want me to just so they don't whip me," he replied in frank manner that suggested he had been roughly used.

His decision to walk away rather than go to school is the puzzling trait. "But few folks understand the work of the Children's Aid Society," said Mrs. Waddle. "I'm not caring about it because it was his own choice and we don't try to force the children. We always treat them in an impartial way. Just recently a man from Lemont asked for a place for his four children and another from State College asked for a place for his five. Their wives had died and the men went places for their children. We generally can find a good place for them. But more people should take an interest in the work. While it is a state work and we are helped by the county commissioners and others, anyone can join for \$1. There are no dues. That sum pays for a membership and carries with it the privileges of members and to attend the meetings. Mrs. Brouse is the local president and Miss Daise Keichline the secretary. Memberships could be secured through them or myself at any time."

Edward Miller Injured.

Edward Miller, a son of Mrs. Della Miller, of Phoenix avenue, was very painfully injured on Wednesday morning soon after he started work, being employed by the Potter-Hoy Hardware Company. The young man was helping at the warehouse and had just opened the door on a carload of wire fencing. One of the balls, containing 20 rods of fencing and weighing about 100 pounds, fell from the top of the car. One of the workmen screamed a warning and Miller ducked his head but the ball struck him a glancing blow and bruised him considerably. For a time he was stunned but his injuries are not regarded as serious. He was promptly taken to his home and placed under care of a local physician.

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